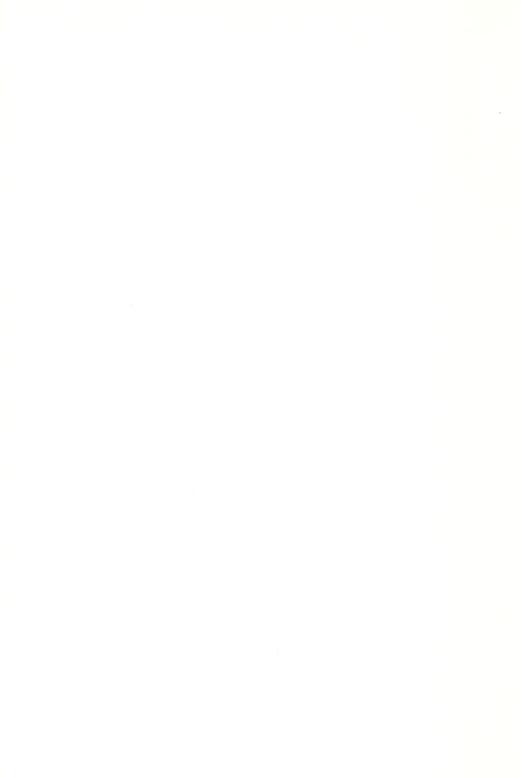
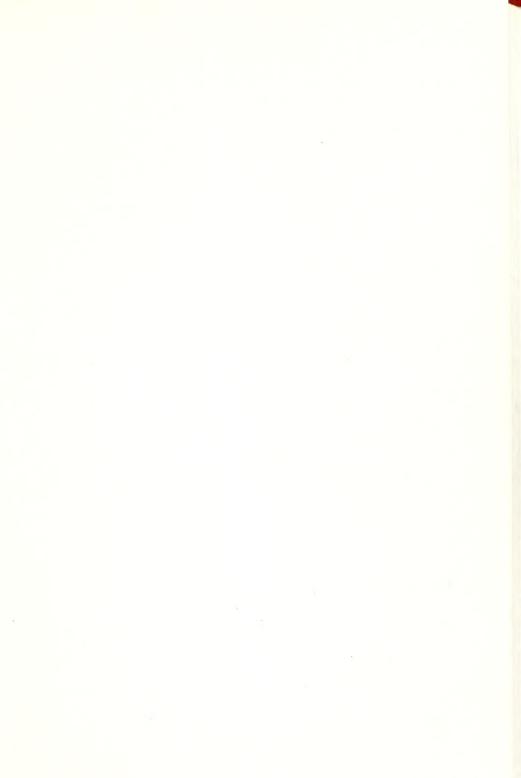


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There are but two biographers who can tell the story of a man's life. One, the person binself, the other, the Recording Angel. The autobiographer cannot be trusted to tell all the truth, though he may tell nothing but the truth, and the Recording Angel never allows his book to leave his own hands.



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In thanking those who have so kindly responded to my letters of inquiry, I would say that I shall continue the "History of the American Beckwiths," and to that end request that I may be informed of all genealogical events that may take place in your families. Also I request biographical sketches of yourselves, your parents, grandparents, etc.

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THE BECKWITH TALISMAN.

Obverse, the area filled with planetary characters with this inscription, "In Deo confideo revertentur inimici meo retrosum." Reverse, these symbols 24 and 2 in conjunction in 2 with the inscription "A pavis inimici custodi vitam meam oh tu Jehova." (Ducatus Leodensis, Thursby).

ARMS.

Yorkshire.

Ar. a chevron gu. fretty or., between 3 hinds' heads erased, of the second. On a chief engrailled gu. a saltier engrailled between 2 roses or, in pale, and on a chief joined to the dexter and sinister sides a demy fleur-de-lis paleways or.

Yorkshire.

Sa. on a chevron az. between 3 griffens' heads erased or. a boar's head couped, between 2 pheons gu.

Aldborough in Yorkshire.

Ar. a chevron, between 3 hinds' heads erased gu.

Trimden in Durham.

Ar. a chevron between 3 hinds' heads couped gu.

Clynton in Yorkshire.

Or, on a fess az. 3 fleur des lis of the field.

CRESTS.

Beckwith or Bickwith. A stag's head erased.

Beckwith. An antelope ppr.

Beckwith. William of Thurcroft in York, and Trimden in Durham. An antelope ppr. in mouth a branch vert. Motto "Jouir en bien."

Beckwith. A dove az. in mouth 3 ears of wheat

vert. all ppr.

Beckwith of Durham. A roebuck's head couped sa. Beckwith of Aldborough, York and Durham. A stag's head couped sa.

Beckwith of York. A stag's head quarterly per

fess, indented or. and gu.

Beckwith of York. A stag's head quarterly per

fess, indented or, and az.

Beckwith or Beckworth of York. An eagle's head or depressed with two bends vert wings one arg., the other gu.







SIR HUGH DE MALEBISSE.

"Sir Hugh de Malebisse, held lands, time of William the Conqueror," is all that Domesday Book tells us of this valiant old Norman knight, for valiant he must have been, or few broad acres would he have possessed in those days, when men encased themselves in iron shells, and struck hard with sword, lance and club. When arms and armor hung conveniently near, for outside one's own castle gate there generally was a chance for blows; and if we would know the men of those days we must look for them under helmet and shield, founders of a feudalism felt even unto our day. Their lands, acquired at the sword's point, were held only as a price of valor in the service of their sovereign.

At the time of the invasion of England, the Normans had lost all traces in language and manners of their northern or Danish origin, and though but little love existed between them and their French neighbors, still it was in Normandy that the French language had acquired its greatest polish and elegance. As the more essential attributes of body and mind are not so easily shaken off as language and conventional manners, the Normans were distinguished from the other natives of France by their stature, fair complexion, abstemiousness and moral qualities; we can, therefore, well imagine Sir Hugh, tall of stature and fair of complexion, a type

that distinguishes so many of his descendants, even unto our day, as he stood in 1066 upon the shores of England, eight hundred and twenty-four years ago, and with his warrior companions, vowed by the aid of Madame St. Mary (the patroness of Norman chivalry) to carve with his good sword an Earldom or a narrow resting place, which even England could not refuse her valiant invaders.

Toward the end of the eleventh century, wild times as they were, a glimpse of an approaching civilization was seen in the erection by the nobles of frowning castles and costly abbeys. William the Conqueror, who with a single frown made England tremble, rebuilt at his own expense, the superb Abbey of Jumieges, where the Cleric found learning and the poor man bread, on condition that the church should be under the invocation of the Mother of God. He assisted in person, with the Duchess Matilda, all his great Norman Barons and their retinues, at the dedication July 1st, 1068, and who knows but that Sir Hugh may have Len a spectator, and may have accompanied the Conquer r some years later when he crossed the sea to ady, in order to be present at the dedication of the Church of "Our Lady of Bayeau." It was at this time, probably, that the Duchess Matilda paid homage to Saint Mary of Bayeau, by presenting that celebrated tapestry in which her patient needle had invoked the great epoch of the conquest of England. This drapery, "embroidered with figures and inscription," was hung the whole length "of the nave of the



church," says an inventory of the treasures of our Lady of Bayeau, drawn up in 1476. The tapestry of Bayeau enables us to see in battle and in camp these rough and rugged warriors, pioneers of a dawning civilization.

The work, even of the needle, was rude in those days, still we can see there the men who fought at Hastings, and here we find Sir Hugh, in a "leather coat of tough Bull hide," covered with metal rings, sewn upon it, touching at their circumference, not interlaced, as in chain mail, for chain mail was as yet unknown. The coat and breeches one piece with a flap at the breast to admit the wearer, a casque of steel, gilded and painted, shoes and gloves of leather, legs protected by sheepskins fastened with leather straps, armed with an embossed shield bound with iron and covered with leather, upon which the arms were painted, a long spear and broad-bladed sword, and so appeared Sir Hugh, and his warrior companions.

Sir Hugh de Malebisse had three sons. Richard, the eldest, was witness to the charter of Albert de Rainville. Galfred, the youngest, willed all his lands to Gay. Madame St. Mary and the Monastery of Newbo, in 1142, and became the first Prior. Sir Hugh, the cond son, married twice; through his second marriage he became Lord of Knyveton; his first wife, Emma, daughter of William de Percy, one of the great and powerful Norman barons (ancestor of Harry Hotspur). Sir Hugh lived in the reign of King Stephen, 1138, and had issue, four sons and one daughter, as follows: Hugo, Richard, Sir William, Sir Simon and Matilda.

Hugo, the eldest, was Chief Justice of County York, and married twice; his second wife was Lady Beatrice, Lady of the Manor of Wykes, County Cambridge; she founded the Priory of Spinney, during the reign of Henry the Third, and died without issue, his lands passing to his brother, Richard de Malebisse, Lord of Ancaster, Knyveton and other estates. lived during the time of Richard, the Lion Hearted, and possibly accompanied him to the Holy Land. He was Chief Forester of Galles, Derwent and Wonerdale: Chief Justice of County York during the fourth year of the reign of King John. In the second year of the reign of Richard the First, he paid 20 pounds to be Forester, as he had been in the time of King Henry. He paid, first year of King John, 5 pounds for the farm of Gueltres, and founded in 1198 the Monastery of Newbo, in Lincolnshire, of the Order of Praemonstatensis, and "gave to God, Madame St. Mary and the Abbey of Newbo," of which his uncle Galfred was Prior, all his lands in the village of Newbo, with the Churches of Ancaster and Knyveton, and, also, other lands. He had three sons. Robertus, the eldest, whose line became extinct in the second generation; Richard, Lord of Beningworth, the youngest, died without issue; John, the second son, confirmed the grants his father, Richard, had received from Morton Grange to the Abbey of Newbo in the fourteenth year of the reign of King John.

John de Malebisse founded the de Malebisse branch of our family, which became extinct in the eleventh

generation, on the marriage of Elizabeth de Malebisse to Adam Beckwith, Lord of Clint, in 1379.

The de Malebisse family, if we are to judge from munificent gifts to abbeys and monasteries, were wealthy and prominent, connected by marriage with many of the noble families of England. Many were High Sheriffs and Chief Justices, in those days offices of high importance, filled only by the more prominent nobles of the county. They were Lords of several manors or estates.

Sir Walter de Malebisse mortgaged his Manor of Scalton Castle to William Fairfax, on going to the Holy Land, on a pilgrimage to the Holy Sepulchre, as was the habit of the nobles of those days, in fulfillment of certain vows: he made Richard Fairfax, son of William, his heir in case he did not return; this Richard Fairfax, son of William, married the daughter of Sir Thomas de Malebisse, brother of Sir Walter, and, as Richard Fairfax afterward appeared on the records of Yorkshire as seized of the lands and Castle of Scalton, it is to be presumed that Sir Walter never returned from his pious pilgrimage.

Sir Simon de Malebisse, Lord of Cowton in Craven, fourth son of Sir Hugo de Malebisse, married the daughter of John Lord de Methly. It was his son, Sir Hercules de Malebisse, who, in 1226, married Lady Dame Beckwith Bruce, daughter of Sir William Bruce, Lord of Uglebarby, which lordship and other lands he had inherited from his ancestor, Sir Robert Bruce, of Skelton Castle, the progenitor of the Royal Bruces of

Scotland. It is from this marriage that we derive our name. Lady Beckwith Bruce possessed, by inheritance, an estate or manor of land, called "Beckwith," in the old Anglo-Saxon "Beckworth," from "Beck" a brook and "Worth" an estate. With a view, evidently, to the perpetuation of the name, required her husband, by a marriage contract dated 1226, to assume the name of Beckwith.

Sir Hercules de Malebisse was Lord of Cowton in Craven, inherited from his great-grandfather, Sir Hugh the Norman, Lord of Clint, and by his marriage with Lady Beckwith Bruce, Lord of Uglebarby, and of the Manors of Beckwith and Beckwithshaw. He was succeeded by his son, Sir Hercules de Beckwith de Clint, who married the daughter of Sir John Ferrars, of Tamworth Castle, who by marriage into the House of Marmion inherited by tenure of the Castle of Tamworth the high office of Champion of England.

Hamon Beckwith, grandson of Sir Hercules, was seized of the Lordships of Clint and Uglebarby, and the Manors of Beckwith and Beckwithshaw, took upon himself the coat of arms of John Lord de Malebisse, in 1339, in proof of descent, presented to the Earl Marshall of England the marriage contract of his great-grandfather, Sir Hercules de Malebisse to the Lady Beckwith Bruce. The decision of the Earl Marshall, dated 1339, is still to be seen (1868) in the Herald's Office. The marriage contract reads as follows:

"Be it known to all Nobles, where this present writing shall come, be seen, or heard; whereas Hamon



Beckwith, son and heir of Nicholas Beckwith, was named by the Earl Marshall of England, by a process that was datied from the aforesaid Marshals Manor of Reayssing Castle, in the County of Norfolk, Jan. 18th, in the tenth year of our Sovereign Lord, the King, in the year of our Lord, 1339. That the said Hamon Beckwith, should usurp and take unto him a coat of arms, which was appertaining unto John Lord de Malebisse, for which better use by virtue of this process, we charge you, that you will appear at the new Mansion House of Saymore, before us and bring with you all such evidence and records of arms, that we may allow, grant, and set our hands to your teste and posterity forever, and also that your appearence will be the 14th day of October, next coming, in the aforesaid year above written. And the said Orator did appear at the said day appointed, and did bring with him such evidence, whereof one piece dated from the 10th year of Henry the 3rd., which was in the year of our Lord 1226, from one Hercules de Malbie, the son of Simon de Malbie, Knight, who married the Lady Dame Beckwith Bruce, one of the daughters of Sir William Bruce, Lord of Uglebarby, and certain other lands in Pickering, that the said Hercules de Malbie, should change his name, or else his coat, and his posterity forever; and so it was what the said Hercules de Malbie changed his name from de Malbie to Beckwith, and did hold his coat, whereof I the said Earl Marshall Peter Mawlam, Lord od de Luke, Lord Chamberlain to our Sovereing Lord, King Edward 3rd, and Henry Lord Percy,



Sir Robert Boynton, Knt., and Sir William Acton, did see and allow it in proof, and the said coat to be his own lineally descended, whereof we have our hands and seals, to the aforesaid teste, the day and year above written, in the presence of many."

Sir Hamon Beckwith had numerous issue, three sons and four daughters. William, his heir, was seized of the Manors of Beckwith and Beckwithshaw, in the 38th year of the reign of King Edward the 3d, and married the daughter of Sir Girard Urfleet, Knight of Wighill, in Co. York, who commanded a Knight's retinue at the battle of Agincourt in France. Of Thomas, the second son, nothing is now known; probably he died young. John, the fourth son of Hamon, purchased lands in Scough; his line became extinct in the next generation, on the marriage of his daughter Ann to George Rowdon, Esq., of Rowdon and other fair possessions. John Beckwith was a stout man-at-arms. and was with King Henry in his French wars; he was at the siege of Harfleur and at the battle of Agincourt, his name with those of other gentlemen, in the list of men-at-arms under Sir Girard Urfleet, at the battle of Agincourt. From the following document, this worthy scion of our family received 24 cents a day for his military services: "The awards to be made by King Henry, to those who are to accompany him into France, to serve one year, and that they should receive, every Duke 13sh. 4d., every Earl 6sh., 8d.; every Baron 4sh.; every Knight 3sh. a day if the voyage extended into France, every Esquire and man-at-arms (gentlemen



who served under the orders of a Knight), was to receive for his wages, 12 pence (24 cents), and every archer 6 pence a day, and for every thirty men-at-arms, a reward of one hundred marks a quarter, and if the voyage extended to Guienne, each Duke, Earl and Baron, and Knight, was to receive as above, every man-at-arms forty marks, every archer twenty marks." Doubtless this doughty warrior fought noble, and with the rest of the English army, before the battle of Agincourt, kneeling, asked the blessing of the Almighty on their arms, and stooping placed in their mouths a morsel of earth, in remembrance, it is conjectured, of their mortality, as a contemporary has it.

William Beckwith was succeeded by his son Thomas of Clint, in the fourth year of the reign of Richard the Second; he held the Manors of Magna Otringer and Huxley near Thursk, and married the daughter of John Sawley of Saxton. Thomas Beckwith was succeeded by his son Adam Beckwith of Clint, who married Elizabeth de Malebisse, and thus reunited the two branches of the Malebisse family, after a separation of over three hundred years. Sir William, the eldest son of Adam Beckwith, married a daughter of Sir John Baskerville, and was succeeded by his son Thomas Beckwith of Clint, who by marriage with the daughter and co-heiress of Wm. Hasterton, became Lord of the Manors of Filey, Muston and Thorp, which his wife had inherited from Havisia, the daughter and co-heiress of Ralph de Neville. Thomas Beckwith of Clint had five sons; Thomas, the eldest, and Adam, the fourth,

died without issue. Sir William, Knight, of Clint, the second son, married twice; by his first wife, daughter of Sir William Plumpton of Plumpton, had issue, but his line became extinct in the next generation. Robert Beckwith, the fifth son, married the daughter of Lowenthorp of Lowenthorp, and was the founder of the greater portion of the Beckwith family in England. Many of his descendants have filled important public offices, and whose names figure prominently in the military, judicial and civil history of England; space will not allow a more extended reference to these branches of our family, other than to refer to the body of this work.

John Beckwith, third son of Thomas of Clint, married the daughter of Thomas Radeliff of Mulgrave, and was succeeded by his only son, Robert Beckwith of Broxholme, in the 8th year of the reign of Edward 4th. He, in his turn, was succeeded by an only son, John, who inherited the Manors of Clint and Thorp, and lived in the 8th year of the reign of King Edward the 4th; he left an only son, Robert Beckwith of Clint and Thorp, whose will was dated Oct. 16th, 1536, and proved Mch. 24th, 1537; he married Jennet and had issue. Robert, the eldest son, died young; Marmaduke of Dacre and Clint, the second son, sold the Manor of Clint that had been in the family since 1226, and bought the Manors of Featherstone and Acton, Yorkshire; he married twice; by his first wife, Ann, daughter of Dynley of Bramhope, had eleven children; Thomas, the eldest, inherited Acton and married Fran-



ces, daughter and heiress of William Frost of Acton; he had three sons, Thomas, the eldest, of Acton, to whom we will presently return; William, the second son, was baptized at Featherstone Castle in 1571, emigrated to America in 1607, landing at Jamestown, Va., with Captain John Smith from the ship "Phænix;" he married in 1616, and had but the one son (and a daughter), Henry who was born about 1619, and who settled in Dorchester Co., Maryland, there founded a family, many of whose members have been prominent in the political, civil and military history of that county, and whose descendants are still living on the old homestead.

To return to Thomas Beckwith of Acton (son of Thomas), he married Barbara, daughter of John Millburn of Hinderskelf, Co. York; he had numerous issue; of Thomas his eldest son, his line became extinct in the second generation; of the next five children nothing is now known; his seventh son, George Beckwith, was baptized at Featherstone Mch. 29th, 1610, and emigrated to Maryland in the year 1648, in company with Secretary John Hatton and others. He landed at St. Marys. George Beckwith represented in the line of primogeniture the Beckwith family, as far as known, and the author of this work, in the line of primogeniture, is his last male descendent.

We must now return to Marmaduke Beckwith of Clint and Dacre, and find mention of Mathew Beckwith, who is possibly the Mathew Beckwith who is first recorded at Saybrook Point, Conn., in 1635, and



the ancestor of by far the largest, numerically, of the American Beckwiths and whose descendants are to be found in every State of the Union, Canada and the Sandwich Islands.

We will return once more to Marmaduke Beckwith of Clint and Dacre, whose third son, Roger Beckwith of Northcot and Aldborough, married twice; by his second wife, Susannah, daughter of Brackenbury of Tellahay, he was succeeded by his son, Author Beckwith of Aldborough, a captain in the Parliamentary Army, killed 1642 in battle; his eldest son, Roger Beckwith, was knighted and created a Baronet of England by Charles the 2d in 1681. He married twice, and died in 1700; by his second wife Elizabeth, the daughter of Edward Jennings, he had two sons; the second son, Marmaduke, emigrated to Virginia about the time of his father's death, and eventually succeeded to the title; he was then living in Virginia.

GENEALOGY.

"SIR HUGH DE MALEBISSE, 1, held lands time with William the Conqueror," is all that is now known of this valiant old knight. Born in Normandy as were all the followers of the Conqueror.

- 2. Richard de Malebisse was a witness to the charter of Albert de Rainville.
- 3. Hugo de Malebisse.
- 4. Galfred de Malebisse, who, in 1142, gave all his lands to the Monastery of Newbo and became the first Prior.

Hugo de Malebisse, 3, living in 1138; his will was proven in the third year of King Stephen; he married twice; his second wife was Maude, daughter of Knyveton of Knyveton. By his first wife Emma, daughter of William de Percy and Adalaid de Tonbridge, he had the following children:

5. Hugo de Malebisse, chief justice assizi County York; married twice; his first wife was Constancia; his second, Beatrice, Lady of the Manor of Wykes, Co. Cambridge; he founded the Priory of Spinney, during the reign of Henry the 3d, and died without issue.

- 6. Richard de Malebisse.
- 7. Sir William de Malebisse, built the chapel of Newbo 1215, was Lord of the Manor in 1206.
- 8. Sir Simon de Malebisse, Lord of Cowton in Craven.
- 9. Matilda de Malebisse; married Richard de Berri, Lord of Tolliston; they conferred grants to the Priory there, time of Henry 2d.

Richard de Malebisse, 6, lived time of Richard the 1st, was chief forester of Galles and Derwent and Wonerdale, chief justice assizi time of John the 4th; he founded the Monastery of Newbo, Lincoln Co., in 1198.

- Robertus de Malebisse of Benningworth, had a son Ricardus, 13, who married Alicia, daughter of Sir Skipwith, knight, and died without issue.
- 11. John de Malebisse.
- 12. Richard de Malebisse de Beningworth.

John de Malebisse, 11, confirmed the grants his father Richard had from Morton Grange, to the Abbey of Newbo, in the year of the reign of King John the 4th.

14. William de Malebisse.

William de Malebisse, 14, gave lands to the Priory of Bridlington, 51st year of Henry 3d. He married Matilda, daughter and heiress of Ralph de Neville.

15. Richard de Malebisse.

Richard de Malebisse, 15, of Miles, 15th year of Edward 2d.

16. John de Malebisse.

John, Lord de Malebisse, 16, de Miles, Vice comes, Co. York. High Sheriff 1314, 8th year Edward 2d.

17. William de Malebisse, de Miles, living time Edward 3d, married daughter of John Lampson of Miles.

18. Margarette de Malebisse married Thomas Viscount Fairfax.

19. Walter de Malebisse, on going to the Holy Land, mortgaged Scalton Castle to William Fairfax, making Richard, his son, his heir, if he did not return. He probably died in Palestine.

20. Thomas de Malebisse.

Thomas de Malebisse de Miles, 20, de Ancaster-Malebisse, 38th year of Edward the 3d, married Mary, daughter of Francis Palmer, Esq., of Naburn.

21. Margaret de Malebisse, co-heiress, married Richard Fairfax.

22. Elizabeth de Malebisse, co-heiress; married, first, John Herringe, 38th year Edward 2d; for her second husband she married Adam Beckwith of Clint, in the 4th year of Richard 2d.

Sir Simon de Malebisse, 8, Lord of Cowton in Craven, married the daughter of John, Lord of Methley.

23. Sir Hercules de Malebisse.

Sir Hercules de Malebisse, 23, who changed his name to Beckwith, on his marriage in 1226, Lord of Uglebarby, by deed shown the Lord Marshall in 1339; he married Lady Dame Beckwith Bruce, daughter of Sir



William Bruce, Lord of Uglebarby, derived from Sir Robert Bruce, of Skelton in Cleveland, progenitor of the Royal Bruces of Scotland.

24. Sir Hercules Beckwith.

Sir Hercules Beckwith, 24, married daughter of Sir John Ferrers of Tamworth Castle.

25. Nicholas.

Nicholas Beckwith de Clint, 25, married the daughter of Sir John Chaworth,

26. Hamon.

Hamon Beckwith, 26, "who took upon him in 1339, coat of arms of John, Lord de Malebisse," was seized of the Lordship of Clint, bounding on the north side of Niddjuxta, Hampswaite and of Uglebarby in Whitby Strand, Pickering and Roxby Manor of Beckwith and Beckwithshaw, 12th year of Edward 3d, 1339; he married the daughter of Sir Philip Tynley, Kt.

- 27. William.
- 28. Thomas.
- 29. John Beckwith of Scough; his line became extinct in the next generation.
- 30. ——; married Sir John Filliert, Knt.
- 3'. ——; married Sir William Calthorp, Knt.
- 32. Anne; married William Treville.
- 33. ——; married William Constable.

William Beckwith, 27, seized of the Manor of Beckwithshaw, 38th year of Edward 3d, 1364, married a daughter of Sir Girard Urfleet.

- 34. Thomas.
- 35. Hercules; married daughter of William Walgrave.



36. John; married daughter of Sir John Ratcliff, Knt. of Cressell.

Thomas Beckwith, 34, of Clint and Manors of Magna Otrigen and Housley, near Thursby, 4, Richard 2d, which lands were holden of John Lord Mowbray, as his Manor of Thursk. He married the daughter of John Sawly of Saxton.

37. Adam.

Adam Beckwith de Clint, 37, married Elizabeth de Malebisse, 4, Richard 2d.

- 38. Sir William.
- 39. John.
- 40. Margaret; married Richard Hulse, Esq.
- 41. Anne; married John Chesney, Esq.
- 42. Amye; married John Lawton, Esq.

Sir William Beckwith, 38, de Clint, Knight, married the daughter of Sir John Baskerville.

43. Thomas.

. Thomas Beckwith of Clint, 43, Lord of a one-third part of Fily, Muston and Thorp; he died 10th year of Henry 7th; he married the daughter and heiress of William Heslerton, heiress of a one-third part of the manors of Filey, Muston and Thorp, inherited from Havisia, daughter and heiress of Ralph Neville, above mentioned.

- 44. Thomas of Clint; married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Ingleby, of Ripley; died without issue.
- 45. Sir William.
- 46. John. Z



- 47. Adam; married Amye, daughter of William Redman of Harewood Castle.
- 48. Robert.
- 49. Ellen; married J. Vavasour of Weston, Co. York.
- 50. Joan; married Falkner, Esq.

Sir William Beckwith, 45, of Clint; Knight in 1481; married twice; his second wife was the daughter of Sir John Ratteliff, K. G.; by his first wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Plumpton, he had the following children:

51. Thomas; died unmarried.

52. Jennet; married William Gascoigne of Laringcroft.

John Beckwith, 46, married the daughter of Thomas Radeliff of Mulgrave.

53. Thomas of Clint.

- 54. Robert of Broxholme.

Thomas Beckwith of Clint, 53, heir to his uncle, Sir William Beckwith of Clint, married Mary, daughter of Sir Henry Pudsey of Bassford and Bolton, Richmondshire.

- 55. William of Clint.
- 56. Thomas of Clint; died before his nephew, Thomas; he married Elizabeth, daughter of W. Tyrell of South Ockinden, Co. Essex, and died without issue.
- 57. Henry.
- 58. Lambert.
- 59. Agabus.
- 60. Ambrose.
- 61. John.



62. ——.

William Beckwith of Clint, 55, married twice; his second wife was the daughter of Sir John Mallony of Studley; by his first wife, Anne, daughter of Sir John Lancaster of Co. Westmoreland, Knt., he had the following children:

- 64. Thomas of Clint.
- 65. William of Raweliff.
- 66. Francis.
- 67. ——.
- 68. ——.

Thomas Beckwith of Clint, 64, was buried at Ripley, November 29th, 1575; he married twice; his second wife was Catherine, daughter of William Tancred of Borobridge; she was buried at Ripley, April 25th, 1598; will dated April 7th, 1598. His first wife was Maud, daughter of Brian Palmer of Lindsey, by whom he had the following children:

- 69. William of Clint:
- 70. Roger.
- 71. Francis; married Chas. Clapham of Beamley.
- 72. Elizabeth; married Hercules Clapham of Beamley.

William Beckwith of Clint, 69, commonly called "Captain," was buried at Ripley, March 6th, 1607; he married twice; by his first wife, Anne, daughter of William Tancred (sister of his father's second wife), he had the following children, who all died young:

- 73. William.
- 74. Elizabeth.
- 75. Anne.

William Beckwith of Clint, 69; his second wife was Mary, daughter of Anthony Soloman, of Annersley Woodhouse, Notts Co., York; buried at Ripley, January 6th, 1601, by whom he had the following children:

- 76. Huntington of Clint, married daughter of Thomas Mesing of Mesing, Notts Co., York; he was buried at Ripley, August, 1655.
- 77. William; baptized at Ripley, March, 1583.
- 78. Henry; baptized at Ripley, May, 1583.
- 79. Catherine.
- 80. Isabell; baptized at Ripley, January, 1582.

William Beckwith of Rawcliff, 65; married Anne, daughter of Hugh Currer of Harightwaitwill; she died September 18th, 1611.

- 81. Francis.
- 82. Parmeno.
- 83. Catherine.
- 84. Elizabeth.
- 85. Ellen; living 1611.
- 86. Prudence.
- 87. Priscilla; living 1611.
- 88. Paulina; living 1611.

Francis Beckwith, 81; aged 20 in 1585; married Margarette.

89. William; living 1641; married daughter of Thomas Winchester.



90. Joseph of Rawcliff; married Mercy; his will was dated March 15th, 1641.

Robert Beckwith of Broxholme, 54; living in the eighth year of King Edward the Fourth.

91. John.

John Beckwith, 91, of Clint and Thorp; eighth year of Edward 4th.

92. Robert.

V Robert Beckwith, 92, of Clint and Thorp; will dated October 6th, and proved March 24th, 1536; married Jennet.

- 93. Robert; died young.
- 94. Marmaduke.

Marmaduke Beckwith, 94, of Dacre and Clint; he sold his lands in Clint 1597, and bought Featherstone and Acton; his second wife was Ellen, widow of William Style of Haddockon, Co. York; by his first wife, Anne, daughter of Dynly of Bramhope, Co. York, he had the following children:

- 95. Thomas.
- 96. William.
- 97. Roger.
- 98. Symon of Pontefract; married at Featherstone, in 1585, to Catharine Austwicke of Pontefract; no children.
- 99. Jane; married John Thorp, 1635.
- 100. Alice; married Robert Bannister.
- 101. Grace; married John Norield.
- 102. Anne.
- 103. Mathew.

104. Catherine; married Pudsey of Barford.

Thomas Beckwith, 95, of Acton, married Frances, daughter and heiress of William Frost of Acton; he was buried at Acton.

105. Thomas of Acton.

106. William; baptized at Featherstone.

107. Marmaduke; baptized in 1573.

108. Alice; married Richard Nelson of Altoftes.

Thomas Beckwith, 105, of Acton, age 43 in 1612, buried at Featherstone, Jan. 12th, 1615; married Barbarra, daughter of John Milburn of Hinderskelf, buried at Featherstone in 1644.

109. Thomas of Acton.

110. John.

111. Henry; baptized 1606.

112. William; baptized at Featherstone in 1604.

113. Samuel; baptized 1605.

114. Richard; baptized 1609.

115. George.

116. Robert; baptized 1611; buried 1615.

117. Edward; baptized Feb. 6th, 1613.

118. Frances; married Ralph Rascine.

119. Mary; baptized 1596; married Ed. Ashton of Methley.

120. Jane; married J. Thorp.

121. Frances; baptized 1602; married Richard Foster.

122. Ellen; baptized 1607; died unmarried.

Thomas Beckwith, 109, of Acton, which he sold, was buried at Featherstone, in 1652. He married

twice; by his first wife, Priscilla, who was buried at Featherstone, September 30th, 1638, he had the following child:

123. Priscilla; buried at Featherstone, March 8th, 1638.

Thomas Beckwith, 109, of Acton; his second marriage was with Muriele, daughter of William Wandersford of Pickhill.

- 124. Thomas; buried at Featherstone, July 30th, 1636; as he died unmarried, the elder line of the Beckwith family became extinct, and the line of primogeniture became invested in the next oldest branch, represented by his uncle, George Beckwith, No. 115.
- 125. Isabelle; married N. Fairfax, brother to Thomas Viscount Fairfax.
- 126. Barbara; married J. Lockwood of County York.

George Beckwith, 115, born at Featherstone Castle, Yorkshire; baptized there March 29th, 1606; he emigrated to Maryland in 1648; and was a merchant and planter at his manor of land called "St. Joseph," situated at Point Patience on the Patuxent river, Calvert County, Maryland, inherited by his wife from her father. He, with other Protestant gentlemen of Maryland, was a signer of a declaration commending the liberal administration of Lord Baltimore, in allowing the Protestants undisturbed worship of their religion. As a follower of Lord Baltimore's party he participated in the battle of Ann Arundell; after their defeat, with



the Catholic party took refuge in Virginia, where he remained two years, returning to Maryland in 1657. In 1676 he went to England on business, and falling ill, died in the city of London, November, 1676. Married Frances, daughter and heiress of Nicholas Hervy, Lord of the Manor of "St. Joseph" and member of the House of Burgesses, who emigrated to Maryland, from London, in 1641. She died, about the time of her husband's death, at the manor home in Maryland, leaving their children all minors.

127. Mary; married John Miles of Calvert Co.

previous to 1676.

128. Elizabeth; married Elias Nuttall of Calvert Co., previous to 1676.

129. Charles.

130. Barbara; a minor in 1676.

131. Margarette; a minor in 1676.

Charles Beckwith, 129, born in Calvert Co., Md., about 1669. Sold his Manor of St. Joseph's in that county and bought a part of Hawley's Manor, called "St. Jerome's Manor" in St. Mary's County. He finally settled in Prince George County, where he died September 18th, 1712. Married Anne, October 9th, 1702, who, after her husband's death, married John Miller, a planter of that county, and died October 17th, 1746. On November 8th, 1746, John Miller renounced his right to administer on his wife's estate, when, on the 20th of that month, letters of administration on her estate were granted to Basil and George Beckwith, with John and Gabriel Claggett, planters, as their sureties, in the sum of 500 pounds sterling.

132. Basil.

133. William,

134. George.

Basil Beckwith, 132, born in Prince George Co., April 9th, 1703; planter; married Volinda Claggett, October 7th, 1741; she died April 17th, 1798; she was the daughter of Jonathan Claggett, planter, son of Thomas Claggett of St. Leonard's Creek, Md., who emigrated to Maryland in 1671; on his mother's side he was descended from Sir Thomas Adams, Lord Mayor of London and a Cavalier of Charles the 2nd; on his father's side he was descended from a Mayor of Canterbury.

- 135. John.
- 136. Anne; born in Montgomery Co., June 10th, 1748; married Charles Williams, and moved to Bullitt Co., Ky.
- 137. George; born in Prince George Co., September 26th, 1745; he was a captain in the Continental Army in 1776 in Col. Bailey's Regiment; and was killed in battle.
- 138. Basil; born in Montgomery Co., April 4th, 1743; died in Frederick Co., Md., November, 1767; unmarried.

John Beckwith, 135; born in Prince George Co., Md., October 7th, 1752; planter; he enlisted in the Continental Army in 1776, serving until 1778; was sergeant in Post's Company, Hazen's Regiment; in 1800 he moved to Bullitt Co., Ky., where he purchased lands and became a farmer; he died there August 8th, 1825;



he married Martha Williams of Prince George Co., Md., August 18th, 1773; she was a daughter of Joseph and Prudence Williams, who were born and married in Wales; emigrated to Maryland in 1740; she was sister to General Otho and Colonel Eliu Williams of

the Continental Army.

139. Volinda; born in Prince George Co., Md., July 4th, 1774, and died in Bullitt Co., Ky.; she married the Hon. Ben. Summers, born in Montgomery Co., Md.; and moved to Bullitt Co., Ky., about 1800, was county clerk for many years. Children: George W., married Mariah Hill; Rufus K., married E. Carpenter; Martha S., married Mathew Wilson; Sarah E., married S. Bealmear; Frank, married L. C. Moremer; Mary, married Sam Williams; Patsy, married Abram Fry; Basil B., married Bettie Bealmear; Susan, married J. Sanders; John B., married A. Meerfield and J. Kirkpatrick.

140. Elianor; born in Prince George Co., Md.,
May 31st, 1776; she died of apoplexy at
Nashville, Tenn., in 1826; she married
Richard Winn of Nashville, son of Gen.
Winn of the Continental Army; Richard
Winn was elected to the National Congress, but died en-route to Washington
City; her second husband was Anthony
Foster, uncle of Ephraim Foster, Governor

of Tennessee.

- 141. Basil Beckwith; born in Montgomery Co., Md., May, 1778; returning home to Kentucky, on horseback, with gold and silver money in his saddle-bags, proceeds of the sale of a plantation in Maryland, was struck by lightning and killed.
- 142. Sarah; born in 1780; died unmarried in 1834.
- 143. John Williams.
- 144. Upton; born in Prince George, Md., June 8th, 1750; died at Louisville, Ky., December 5th, 1818; married Betsey, daughter of Judge L. Laws; they had one child, Anne Uptonia, who married Mr. Reaugh of Louisville; her son, Upton B. Reaugh, was a colonel in the U. S. Volunteer Service, 1861 to 1865, and a prominent civil engineer; was living in Louisville in 1886.
- 145. Marthew; born in Montgomery Co., Md., August 27th, 1795; married Thomas Yeatman of Nashville, Tenn.; after her death he married a sister of Henry Irwin, son-in-law of Henry Clay, who married, after Yeatman's death, John Bell, candidate to the Presidency of the United States.
- 146. Anne; born August 8th, 1788; died unmarried.

John Williams Beckwith, 143, born in Montgomery Co., Md., July 18th, 1781; planter; died at Shepards-

ville, Bullitt Co., Ky., October 23d, 1828; he married "Polly" Floyd Smith, October 12th, 1808; she was born on Bears' Grass Creek, near Louisville, in 1785, and died in Illinois in 1872; her father, Thomas Smith, was born in Virginia, of the line of Revolutionary Smiths of that State; his brother William was United States Senator from Alabama in 1816; her mother, Abigail Floyd, born in Virginia, was sister of Col. John Floyd, pioneer of Kentucky, whose son and, also, his grandsons, John and John B., were Governors of Virginia; the latter was Secretary of War in 1861, and afterward a Major-General in the Confederate Army; her grandmother, Abigail Davis, wife of William Floyd of Accomac Co., Va., was a descendant of Pocahontas; her brother, Samuel Davis, was grandfather of Jefferson Davis, President of the Southern States during the Rebellion.

147. Mary; married James Bucklin, a civil engineer, son of Simion Bucklin, the first mayor of Louisville; their children were James, a railroad official living in Bristol, Ind.; Mary, who married George Keating, now a widow, living in Greencastle, Ind., with her daughter, Georgia.

148. Minerva, noted for her beauty; married Alfred Bullitt of Bullitt Co., Ky., son of William and nephew of Alexander Bullitt, who had several daughters; one married General Atkinson, U. S. Army, and after the General's death, married Major Stew-



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ard, U. S. Army; the second daughter, Diana, married General Phil Kearney, U. S. Army; and another daughter married the Count de Kanza, a Swedish nobleman, and is now living in Sweden. The children of Minerva and Alfred Bullitt were Mary, who married her cousin, Lewis Chouteau Smith of St. Louis, Mo.; William, who married Belle Luckett of St. Charles Co., Mo.; Ada, who married Dexter Crosby of St. Louis, Mo.

- 149. Frederick William.
- 150. Basil; born in Bullitt Co., Ky.; studied for the law; at the completion of his studies he went west, and was never heard from.

Frederick William Beckwith, 149, born in Shepardsville, Bullitt Co., Ky., October the 8th, 1813; studied for the Methodist ministry; owing to throat troubles he relinquished his studies and, in 1840, moved to St. Louis, Mo, where he engaged in business; he died there December 30th, 1854; he married Tullia Clementia Paul, May 5th, 1842; she was born in St. Louis, Mo., December 11th, 1821, and is now living in Washington, D. C.; daughter of Col. Réné Paul, son of Étiènne Paul, Admiral in the French Navy and Amélie, daughter of Sieur Massée, French Governor of the Island of St. Domingo; Col. Réné Paul was born on the Island of St Domingo, in 1783; during the negro insurrection his father and brother were mas-

sacred by the negroes; he escaped to France, where he was placed in the École Politechnique, at Paris; the year before graduation the students were removed, by order of the Emperor Napoleon, and given rank in the army; Col. Paul received the rank of captain of engineers, and rose to the rank of colonel of engineers; participated in the campaigns of Italy and Spain, though an engineer officer; was on board the Admiral's vessel at the naval battle of Trafalgar, where he was severely wounded; upon recovering from his wounds he came to America, and was commissioned by President Monroe to examine the frontier posts; he visited St. Louis, Mo., where he married Eulalie, daughter of Col. August Chouteau, the founder of that city; he died May 5th, 1851; Col. Paul was the first city surveyor of St. Louis; and established the grades of the first paved streets of that city.

- 151. Frederick William, Jr.; born St. Louis, March 22d, 1842; died at Alton, Ill., June 10th, 1863; married Alice, daughter of Dr. Samuels of St. Louis; they had one child, Frederika, who died young; his widow married again and died in Texas.
- 152. Minerva Eulalie; born in St. Louis, December 29th, 1845; died in 1872; married W. L. Hull, June 20th, 1871, a merchant of that city.
- 153. Mary Amelia; born St. Louis, Sept. 21st, 1846; died 1852.
- 154. Paul Edmond Smith; born St. Louis, Sep-

tember 22d, 1848; student at the St. Louis University; in August, 1861, he ran away from home and joined General Fremont's command, after serving one month he was sent back to St. Louis, and shortly afterward was taken to Europe, to be kept out of the army; he was placed at the Jesuit college at Feldkirch in the Austrian Voralberg, near Lac Constance; after mastering the German language, he went to Bonn Am Rhine, Prussia, where he matriculated at the university of that city, in civil and mining engineering. In 1867, at the breaking out of hostilities between Pope Pius IX and Victor Emanuel, he went to Rome and enlisted in the Papal army, serving in that world-known corps, the "Pontifical Zouaves," participating in the battles of Monte Rotondo and Mentana where the Zouaves so signally defeated the Italians under General Garibaldi. He returned to America in 1869; was U.S. Indian agent 1875, living among the Sioux for one year, when he resigned, and going to Colorado, followed his profession of civil and mining engineering, until, in 1886, his health failing he came to Washington, D. C., where he entered the Government service; married Martha B., daughter of Samuel and Lydia Chord, in



1872; she died in 1879; their children were Paul, died in infancy; Chord, died in infancy; Hattie Eulalie, born Oct. 15th, 1874; Aimée, born November 5th, 1876.

William Beckwith, 133, born in Prince George Co., Md., about 1706; moved to Stafford Co., Va.; returned to Md. and settled in Montgomery Co. in 1728; died prior to 1738; will proved March 26th, 1742; he married Elizabeth, who was living in Montgomery Co. in 1742.

155. Lucy.

156. Ann.

157. Mary.

158. William.

William Beckwith, 158, born in Prince George Co., Md., in that portion from which was erected Frederick county; he enlisted in the Continental Army in 1776, was appointed head captain of the 16th Reg., Maryland State troops, June 18th, 1794, and was promoted to rank of major of the same regiment, October 13th, 1794; he married Lucy Watson of Montgomery Co., Maryland.

159. Watson; born in Montgomery Co.; died there in 1794, unmarried.

160. Altha; born 1770; died 1862.

161. Benedict.

162. Sykes.

Benedict Beckwith, 161, born Frederick Co., Md., in 1776; enlisted in the Revolutionary Army, moved to Ky. about 1816; there married his second wife, a

Miss H. Pumphreys: by his first wife, Elizabeth White of Montgomery Co, Md., license to marry dated Rockville, Md., August 8th, 1800, he had the following children:

163. John Greenbury; moved to Lexington, Ky., about 1816, and there married the sister of his father's second wife.

164. Samuel.

165. Elbert.

166. Sirena.

Samuel Beckwith, 164, born Montgomery Co., Md., about 1798; died at Taylorsville, Md., in 1890; license to marry Sarah Samones dated Rockville, Md., March 22d, 1826.

167. Stanley, of Fairland, Montgomery Co., Md., in 1888.

Elbert Beckwith, 165, born Montgomery Co., Md., married Susan Burgess.

168. Elizabeth; married B. Bassett; children, Elbert, Susie married W. Roby, Isabella.

169. Emily; living D. C. in 1888.

170. Sue.

. 171. Jane; married McCloud of the D. C., in 1888; children, John, William, Frank.

172. Martha.

173. Helen; married G. Ryan of Olney, Md.

174. Zachariah.

175. Benedict.

176. Thomas; born Montgomery Co., Md.; farmer; married M. Ryan, living Fairland, Md., in 1888.

Benedict Beckwith, 175, born Montgomery Co., Md., 1836; farmer, living in Bethesda, Md., in 1888; married Mary Williams in 1868; she was born in 1841, and died in 1885.

177. Charles W.; born 1868.

178. Eugene; born 1871.

179. Mary; born 1873.

180. Birdie; born 1881.

181. Eliza; born 1876.

182. Benjamin; born 1878.

183. Sarah; born 1878.

Sykes Beckwith, 162, born Frederick Co., Md.; enlisted in the Revolutionary Army in 1776; was wounded at the battle of Cowpens; died in Montgomery Co., Md., 1822; license to marry second wife dated Rockville, Md., January 26th, 1820; by his first wife, Kissiah Adamson, whom he married January 26th, 1801; died 1816; he had the following children:

184. William W.; died unmarried.

185. Lucy; married and moved to Tenn.

186. Nancy; married J. B. Belt of Montgomery Co., Md.,; children, H. I., J. B., Rufus, Walt., Lizzie.

187. Parmelia; married in Illinois.

188. John A.

189. Henry Sykes; born 1812; living near Rockville, Md., in 1889.

190. Rupert O.

John A. Beckwith, 188, married E. Ricketts of Montgomery Co., Md., March 10th, 1834.

- 191. Greenbury C.
- 192. Columbus.
- 193. Waters.
- 194. John W.; living in Montgomery Co., Md., in 1888.
- Rubert O. Beckwith, 190, of Montgomery Co., Md.; married Dianna Belt of that county.
 - 195. Joseph.
 - 196. Fannie; living in Montgomery Co., Md., in 1888.

George Beckwith, 134, born in Prince George Co., Md., about 1710; settled in Frederick Co., Md., and died there in 1760.

- 197. Charles.
- 198. Basil.
- 199. Nicholas.
- 200. Benjamin.
- 201. William.
- 202. Lorena.
- 203. Nancy.
- 204. Eleanor.

Charles Beckwith, 197, born in Frederick Co., Md., April, 1799, married Casandra, who was living in 1813.

- 205. George.
- 206. Rescine; born Montgomery Co., Md.; married Mary Hopkins, March 31st, 1798, Rockville, Md., Records.
- 207. ———.
- 208. ———.

209. Nicholas; license to marry Mary Butt, August 10th, 1799, Rockville Records.

George Beckwith, 205, born Montgomery Co., Md., May 16th, 1760; enlisted in the Revolutionary Army December 13th, 1776, for two years; was a sergeant in Captain George Beckwith's company, Col. Bailey's regiment, Maryland line: he died in 1849; married Ann Clarkson in 1792; she died in 1855.

- 210. Martha.
- 211. Ann; married —— Rifle.
- 212. Mary; married —— Cronin.
- 213. Charles.
- 214. Vincent; born Montgomery Co., Md.
- 215. William.
- 216. Singleton.

Charles Beckwith, 213, born in Montgomery Co., Md.; farmer; died May 7th, 1816; married Mary Rabbitt of Rockville, Md., July 21st, 1819; she died there December 24th, 1877.

- 217. Mary E.; born May 1st, 1823; married A. F. Boswell of Rockville, Md., October 30th, 1845; their children are: John C., born November 18th, 1846; Mary E., born October 6th, 1848; Franklin M., born March 15th, 1850; Charles E., born January 15th, 1852; James W., born December 25th, 1853.
- 218. Martha A.; born April 3d, 1825; married Hoskinson of Rockville, Md., November 2d, 1847; their children are: Charles H.,

- born July 6th, 1848; John T., born September 26th, 1849; Mary E., born February 9th, 1851; William G., born September 29th, 1852; Andrew C., born July 2d, 1854; James A., born July 15th, 1857; Ann R., born April 15th, 1859; Martha E., born March 14th, 1860; Henry A. J., born September 16th, 1862; R. E. L., born March 29th, 1866.
- 219. Ann M.; married J. W. Campbell of Rockville, Md., June 10th, 1845; their children are: Charles W., born April 14th, 1846; Susan M., born August 8th, 1847; William B., born October 20th, 1849; Mary E., born December 6th, 1850; Charles A., born July 18th, 1852; Ann R., born March 29th, 1855; Libby E., born February 28th, 1858; Harriet A., born October 16th, 1860; James F., born January 21st, 1865.
- 220. Elizabeth E.; born December 22d, 1821; married W. F. Fisher of Rockville, Md., January 10th, 1843; their children are: Thomas P., born August 24th, 1844; Celestia V., born February 28th, 1846; William A., born January 18th, 1847.
- 221. Rebecca G.; born February 2d, 1830; married Mathew Field of Rockville, December 30th, 1850; he was editor of the Montgomery Co. Sentinel; their children are:

Mary M., born November 13th, 1851; Charles W., born November 27th, 1853; Henry C., born April 12th, 1856; John W. A., born December 19th, 1859; Albert S. J., born September 27th, 1863; Kate R., born March 16th, 1868.

222. John A.; born Montgomery Co., Md., July 23d, 1833; died in Maryland.

223. William G.; born Rockville, Md., April 19th, 1827.

224. Celest.

Vincent Beckwith, 214, born Montgomery Co., Md.; married Martha; she was born in the District of Columbia, and died in Montgomery Co., Md.

225. Lizzie; born in Montgomery Co., Md.; married William Shufforth of Albany, N. Y.

226. Burgess; living in 1889; unmarried.

227. Joseph; living in Cincinnati, Ohio, in 1889; unmarried.

Benjamin Beckwith, 200, born Frederick Co., Md., about 1760; enlisted in the Revolutionary Army, 1776; moved to Morgan Co., Ohio, about 1819; school teacher and surveyor; died and was buried with military honors near Malta, Ohio; he married twice; by his first wife, Livonia Crum, he had the following children:

228. William.

229. Benjamin; born Frederick Co., Md.; settled in Richland Co., Ohio, and died there; he married Dorcas Turner.

- 230. Elizabeth; born Frederick Co., Md.; married J. W. Johnson of Morgan Co., Ohio; died September 29th, 1844; children: Livonia, married John McCann; Stephen; Martha married Loyd McBee; living Malta, Ohio, 1889; Philamon, died; William; Martha; John W., of Philadelphia.
- 231. Mary; married Hearth Tice of Frederick Co., Md.; died there.
- 232. Lenox; born Frederick Co., Md.; married Rebecca Turner, and remained in Maryland.

- 233. Dr. I. O., born in Wardensville, W. Va., July 13th, 1826; physician and M. D.; settled at Lewis, Vigo Co., Ind.; his first wife was Martha Rogers, died in Hampshire Co., W. Va., 1865; his second wife was Kate Drysart of Richland Co., Obio; no children.
- 234. Benjamin F.
- 235. Catherine; born November 5th, 1834; married A. Vignessy, born France; living Kansas City, Mo., in 1889.
- 236. Adaline; born March 10th, 1830; married J. M. Johnson; living at Danville, Ind., in 1888.

Benjamin F. Beckwith, 234, born Wardensville, W.



Va., March 5th, 1828; settled at Greencastle, Ind.; living there 1888: contractor and builder; enlisted in the U. S. Vol. Service, 1861–5; serving in the 99th Ind. Reg. 15th Army Corps, throughout the war, and marched to the sea with General Sherman, and was mustered out of service with his regiment, in Washington city, in 1865; he married Susan Hopwood, who was born in Ky., July 4th, 1835.

- 237. Addie; born 1854; died in 1884.
- 238. Lillie; born 1860; died 1861.
- 239. Laura; born 1856; married A. B. Phillips; living Clearwater, Kansas, in 1888; one son, Orion; born June 18th, 1886.
- 240. Orion; born March 19th, 1858; train dispatcher with Indianapolis and St. Louis Ry. Co.; living in St. Louis, Mo., in 1889; unmarried.
- 241. Luella; living Greencastle, Ind., in 1888.
- 242. Emma; living Greencastle, Ind., in 1888.
- 243. Allie; living Greencastle, Ind., in 1888.

Benjamin Beckwith, 200, his second wife was Martha, widow of John Rogers of Hampshire Co., Va., she died at Malta, Ohio, October 7th, 1841; they had the following children:

244. Lorena; born Alleghany Co., Md., September 1st, 1800; married Thomas Osborn of Morgan Co., Ohio; left children as follows: Eliza Wiseman, Rebecca Patterson, living McConnelsville, Ohio, Mary Scott, Martha Arnold, living York, Neb., William, living

- Hawleysville, Iowa, Wesley, living Hawleysville, Iowa, George, at Malta, Ohio.
- 245. Livonia; born August, 1802, in Alleghany Co., Md.; married Charles Kinsel of Morgan Co., Ohio; left children: Matilda Geiger at Eaglesport, Ohio, Elizabeth, at Eaglesport, Mary Deaver, at Eaglesport.
- 246. Matilda; born Muskingum Co., Ohio, January 25th, 1805; died 1865; unmarried.
- 247. George; born Muskingum Co., Ohio, 1808; died 1828.
- 248. Solomon.
- 249. David J.
- 250. Rosanna; born Muskingum Co., Ohio, December 2nd, 1815; married Samuel Bone of Morgan Co., Ohio, March 25th, 1847; he died September 16th, 1873; she was living in McConnelsville, Ohio, in 1889; their children are: Mary, born April 7th, 1848; married F. M. Christy; living Muskingum Co. in 1889; Martha, born June 24th, 1850; died young; Lorena, born July 6th, 1851; died young; Cynthia, born April 3d, 1853; married L. B. Porter 1878; Henry J., born September 29th, 1864; married S. Eva Gregg 1877; Emma, born March 29th, 1859; married Ed. Trimble 1887.

Solomon C. Beckwith, 248, born Newton township, Muskingum, Ohio, April 22d, 1812; farmer; died at Malta, Ohio, August 12th, 1887, of cancer; when he

was 8 years old his parents moved to Malta; he was noted for his remarkable memory; was a member of the M. E. church and a prominent abolitionist and whig, assisting annually 15 slaves to escape north and to freedom; in all he personally assisted 300 slaves to their freedom, and was one of the founders of the underground railway. He filled many places of trust and prominence, and was for 20 years collector of tolls on the river, a State appointment, illustrating his sterling worth; before his death he left to each of his children a card inscribed "Honor thy father and thy mother, that thy days may be long in the land which the Lord thy God hath given thee." He married Ann McBee of Harper's Ferry, Va., July 2d, 1834.

- 251. Rosanna Deborah; born Morgan Co., Ohio,
 January 13th, 1836; married Dr. E. G.
 Tracy of Malta, Ohio, March 30th, 1858;
 their children are: Charles A., born November 17th, 1859; Rosie, born May 18th, 1867.
- 252. James Hinin; born June 8th, 1833; died August 26th, 1839.
- 253. George Alvah.
- 254. Martha A.; born May 6th, 1843; died January 2d, 1868; married W. J. Byers, March 5th, 1865; left one daughter, who married W. A. Hutchins; living at McConnelsville, Ohio.
- 255. "Massa Jane;" born 1845; died 1846.
- 256. Emma M.; living Malta, Ohio, in 1888; unmarried.



- 257. Mary E.; born 1847; died 1848.
- 258. Matilda E.; born February 9th, 1849.
- 259. Sarefta E.; born March 12th, 1851; marriedW. A. Bask; living Malta, Ohio, in 1889.
- 260. Lorena Charlotte; born 1854; died 1879.
- 261. Charles Sumner; born Malta, Ohio, October 22d, 1856; living there in 1889; unmarried; clerk Malta National Bank.

George Alvah Beckwith, 253, born Malta, Ohio, October 10th, 1841; married Sarah L. Naylor, June 17th, 1863; she was born in Pennsville, Ohio, Nov. 17th, 1834; living Malta, Ohio, in 1889.

- 263. Grosvenor R.; born Pennsville, Ohio, August 20th, 1864; living at Wolton, Kansas, in 1888.
- 264. Fannie S.; born McConnelsville, Ohio, May 12th, 1866; living at Wolton, Kansas, in 1889.
- 265. Jennie M. C.; born Malta, Ohio, September 19th, 1868; living at Wolton, Kansas, in 1889.
- 266. Charles Franklin; born McConnelsville, Ohio, July 22d, 1870; living at Malta, Ohio, in 1889.
- 267. Mary Evaline; born Pennsville, Ohio, August 13th, 1872; living at Malta in 1889.
- 268. Leonard; born Malta, Ohio, September 14th, 1876; living at Malta, Ohio, in 1889.

David T. Beckwith, 249, born Muskingum Co., Ohio, March 14th, 1810; farmer; he died at Malta, Ohio,

September 20th, 1860; married twice; his first wife, Mary A., daughter of Martin and Mary Saunders, May 8th, 1834, was born February 14th, 1816, and died October 15th, 1847.

- 269. George Wm.; born August 29th, 1835; died November 2d, 1835.
- 270. William Martin; born March 2d, 1847; died December 2d, 1847.
- 271. Loyd; born September 12th, 1839; died March 7th, 1853.
- 272. Solomon.
- 273. Martha Rachel; born August 31st, 1841; died December 28th, 1878; married Homer A. Alderman; he was living in Washington, D. C., 1889; their children are as follows: Zenas, married and living in Washington; Jennie, married and living in Washington; Josie, living in Malta; Allita, living in Washington, D. C., 1889.

274. Laban.

Solomon Beckwith, 272, born January 30th, 1837; enlisted in the U. S. Vol. Service, serving in Co. B, 161st Reg., Ohio, 1861-65; died at Malta, Ohio, December 8th, 1867; he married Mary E. Parsons of Malta, December 8th, 1859; she was living there in 1889.

275. James Z.; born Malta, Ohio, May 30th, 1861; living there in 1889.

Laban Beckwith, 274, born Morgan Co., Ohio, July 12th, 1844; enlisted in the U. S. Vol. Service, in



1861; was sunstruck during the war and, in consequence of this disability, was honorably discharged; farmer; living at Rokeby, Morgan Co., Ohio, in 1889; he married Armeda McClintick, December 11th, 1871; she was born, Morgan Co., Ohio, August 7th, 1846.

276. Clara; born September 16th, 1873.

277. Clarence; born July 19th, 1876; living Rokeby, Morgan Co., Ohio, in 1889.

278. Joe E.; born August 30th, 1880.

David T. Beckwith, 249; his second wife was Amelia Saunders, sister of his first wife; born September 8th, 1823; died March 10th, 1882.

279. Charles O.; born Malta, May 30th, 1850; living there 1889.

280. Lucy M.; born February 6th, 1856; married George Black; he died, and she was living in Malta in 1889.

281. Albert; born September 20th, 1860; died November 21st, 1878.

William Beckwith, 201, born in Frederick Co., Md., 1758; enlisted in the Continental Army, in 1776, and served two years; moved to Morgan Co., Ohio, about 1819; farmer; married twice; he married his second wife, Priscella Jenkins, September 23d, 1778; no children; he married his first wife, Martha Elder; who died in Maryland; and by her had the following children:

282. Tobias.

283. Richard.

284. Rebecca.

Tobias Beckwith, 282, born Frederick Co., Md., and settled in Morgan Co., Ohio; died there January, 1823; he married Bridget Walpole, in 1818; she was born in Ireland.

284a. John; lived and died in Somerset, Perry Co., Ohio.

285. Katie.

286. Mary Ann; married Framer, and was living in Artesian City, Dak., in 1889.

287. Rebecca; born Morgan Co., Ohio, March 1st, 1823; living in New Lexington, Ohio, in 1889; married Michael Forquer, May 18th, 1841; he was born in Philadelphia, Penn., June 3, 1813; their children are: May A., born April 27th, 1842; Jane, born October 27th, 1843; Charles, born March 9th, 1849; Raymond, born December 26th, 1851; William, born January 5th, 1855; Kate, born September 8th, 1858; Dugan, born May 23d, 1861; Laura, born July 23d, 1863; John, born October 23d, 1867.

William Beckwith, 96, of Dacre, Yorkshire, Eng. 288. Thomas of Aldborough was buried in

1683.

Thomas Beckwith, 288, of Aldborough, York, was buried in 1683; he married Sarah, daughter of Simon Beckwith of Pontferact, York; she died in 1673.

289. Samuel.

Samuel Beckwith, 289, of Aldborough, and after-



ward of High Barton, died in 1694; he married Margarette, daughter and heiress of Rev. George Walker, who was afterward Bishop of Derry, which town he defended against King James 2d.

- 290. Samuel, of Burton, Secretary to the Duke of Ormond and Philip, Duke of Wharton; he married in 1699, and died in 1725.
- 291. Thomas.

Thomas Beckwith, 291, of High Barton and Clifton, married, in 1702, Phyllis, daughter of Pickingill of Ellerton; she died in 1710.

- 292. Thomas.
- 293. Samuel, of Raikes; married Anne, daughter and heiress of John Dent of Clifton Lodge; he died in 1773.
- 294. John; sold the Manor of Beckwithshaw, in 1753, that had been in the family since 1226, being a part of the estate of Lady Beckwith Bruce.

Thomas Beckwith, 292, of Clifton, married Mary, daughter of J. Winn.

295. Thomas, of Liverpool, ancestor of the Liverpool Beckwiths, many of whom were living there in 1888; he sold Clifton.

Samuel Beckwith, 293, of Raikes, married Anne, daughter and heiress of John Dent of Clifton Lodge; she died in 1773.

- 296. Samuel.
- 297. Thomas, of Liverpool.
- 298. Margarette; first husband, Christopher



Jaques; second husband, Timon Wrather; buried in 1771.

Samuel Beckwith, 296, of London, married Jane, daughter of John Roydell of London; left several children.

299. Samuel.

Samuel Beckwith, 299, of London, married Jane, daughter of John Donewell of London.

300. Rev. Samuel; died 1846.

301. Jane Emily; died unmarried in 1866.

Roger Beckwith, 97, of Northcot and Aldborough, York, which he purchased from Sir Wm. Gee in 1597; buried at Pontferact in 1634; he married twice; his first wife was Dorothy, daughter of Currer of Leeds.

- 302. Thomas of Beverly; line extinct.
- 303. Catherine; married Thomas Norton of Everton.
- 304. Margarette; baptized 1607.
- 305. Anne; married J. Robinson of Bolton-upon-Swales.
- 306. Barbara; married Mathew Lockwood of Sowerby Thursk.

Roger Beckwith, 97, of Northcot and Aldborough; his second wife was Susannah, daughter of Brakenbury of Sellahy, Co. Durham; she died October, 1670, and was buried at Skellborough.

- 307. Arthur.
- 308. William of Thurcroft in Laughton; died without issue March 27th, and was buried

at Laughton in 1678; devised Thurcroft to his nephew William; he married Margarette, daughter of Bernard Ellis; she was buried at Laughton, October 5th, 1676.

- 309. Mathew.
- 310. Susannah; married John Aulaby of Aulaby.
- 311. Judith; married Wm. Parker, M. D., of London.
- 312. Hester; married John Odinsell of Odinsell.

Arthur Beckwith, 307, of Aldborough, baptized 1615; captain in the Parliamentary Army; killed in battle 1642; he married Mary, daughter of Marmaduke Wyville of Constable Barton, knight and baronet.

- 313. Sir Roger.
- 314. Marmaduke; baptized at Tanfield, and died unmarried.
- 315. Mary; died unmarried.
- 316. Isabell; died unmarried.
- 317. Susan: died unmarried.

Sir Roger Beckwith, 313, of Aldborough; created a baronet by Charles the 2nd; patent dated April 15th, 1681; died December 5th, 1700; he married twice; his first wife was Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Christopher Clapham.

318. Arthur; died beyond seas; possibly the ancestor of the Beckwiths of the Island of Barbadoes.

Sir Roger Beckwith, 313; his second wife was Elizabeth, daughter of Edmond Jennings of Ripon, Knight.



319. Sir Roger.

320. Sir Marmaduke of Virginia.

Sir Roger Beckwith, 319, of Aldborough; Baronet and High Sheriff of Co. York, 1706; Mayor of Leeds in 1705; died May, 1743; he married in October 10th, 1705, Jane, daughter and heiress of Bej. Waddington of Allerton Gladhow; she died in 1713.

- 321. Roger; died unmarried.
- 322. Edward; died unmarried.
- 323. Jane; sole heiress; married Bielby Thompson of Micklethwaite Grange, Co. York; she died at Bambirg in 1756.

Sir Marmaduke Beckwith, 320, born at Aldborough, Yorkshire, Eng., in 1687; emigrated to Virginia in 1700; he was County Clerk of Richmond Co. from 1708 to 1748; it is probable that he died at the latter date.

- 324. Sir Jonathan of Virginia.
- 325. Mary; married Lawrence Butler, born in England and was a major in the Revolutionary Army, and who died in 1811, leaving one son, Beckwith Butler.
- 326. Rebecca; married Major John Belfield.
- 327. Marmaduke.
- 328. Elizabeth; married Joseph Morton, an Englishman, and had one son, William Jordon, who married Martha Pryor and had twelve children.
- 329. Tarpley; born in Virginia; and died in England, November 7th, 1748.

Sir Jonathan Beckwith, 324, born in Richmond Co., Va.; signer Northern Neck Declaration, protesting against the Stamp Act, in 1765; he was living in Westmoreland Co., Va., in 1835; he was a patriot and, in consequence, the title of "Sir," which he had inherited from his father, ceased to exist upon the declaration of his patriotic sentiments; he married Rebecca Barns of Virginia.

330. Jennings.

331. Jonathan; died unmarried.

332. Penelope.

333. Elizabeth.

334. Richard Marmaduke.

335. Barnes.

336. Rebecca; born in Richmond Co., Va.; married her cousin, Marmaduke Brockin-borough Beckwith, and died in Jefferson Co., Va.

Jennings Beckwith, 230, born in Richmond Co., Va., 1764; he was a great sportsman, and passed many years among the Indians of the far west, hunting; died near Bleak Hall, the country-seat of Marmaduke Beckwith, in Westmoreland Co., Va., in 1835; he married a Miss Kill.

337. Richard M. B.

338. Edwin; super-cargo of a merchant vessel that was lost at sea, supposed to have been captured by pirates, who murdered those on board.

339. Malbis; died in Frederick Co., W. Va., at the "Retreat," his father's country-seat.



340. T. W. 341. ——. 342. ——.

Richard Marmaduke Barnes Beckwith, 337, born in Jefferson Co., W. Va.; enlisted in the U. S. Army in 1813, and served until 1816, in Wells Co.; he died at St. Louis, Mo., in 1818, when on his way to visit his father, who was then among the Indians of the far west; he married Sarah Hite, who was born in 1796, married September 13th, 1813, and died in 1884; she was daughter of Captain George Hite, who served in the war of 1776, was wounded and pensioned; he was grand-nephew of James Madison, President of the United States.

343. Lawrence Butler.

344. George H. J.

Lawrence Butler Beckwith, 343, born Frederick Co., W. Va., 1814; died Orangeburg, Columbia Co., S. C., 1868; married Harriet Hunt, 1840; born Columbia Co., S. C.

345. Lawrence R.

346. "Bettie."

347. Sallie F.

348. Mary H.

349. Annie L.

350. Hattie.

Lawrence Ransom Beckwith, 345, born in Orangeburg, Columbia Co., S. C., 1842; he was in the Confederate Army, serving in the "Hampton Legion," with rank of captain; was severely wounded during



the war, and married Ann Moorer in 1866; died in 1884.

351. Lawrence Henry; born in 1867.

352. John G.

George Hite J. Beckwith, 344, of Charlestown, Jefferson Co., W. Va., born in 1816; living in 1889 at his country-seat, near Charlestown, called "Shady Side;" he married Anne, daughter of Dr. S. Scolley, in 1843, of Middling Co., Va.; she died at "Shady Side" in 1868.

- 353. S. S.; died 1848.
- **354.** Harriet; died 1848.
- 355. Eloise; died 1878.
- 356. Frank.
- 357. Lawrence Butler; surveyor; living in Arkansas 1888.
- 358. Mary Elizabeth.
- 359. Sallie M.; married T. G. Barlow, civil engineer; living Wood End, W. Va., in 1889; have two children, Anna L. and Robt. Matson.

Frank Beckwith, 354, of Charlestown, W. Va.; lawyer; in State Legislature 1881-2; officer on Gov. Jackson's Staff, 1861-5; living in Charlestown, 1891; married Lucy, daughter of Angus McDonald, 1887.

360. Angus McDonald.

Richard Marmaduke Beckwith, 334; lawyer; born in Richmond Co., Va., in 1774; moved to Falmouth, Stafford Co., Va., where he practiced his profession;

he died there in 1820; he married Elizabeth Scott Buchanan February 13th, 1798; she was of Stafford Co.

- 361. Jonathan.
- 362. Richard M.
- 363. Lawrence Butler; born at Falmouth, in Stafford Co., Va., in 1804; he served in the Capt. Hunter's Company, 1st Reg., Ark. Vol., during the Mexican War, and died at Brownstone, Ark. in 1885; married Jennette Hill in February, 1857; she was born in 1829, and died in 1887; no children.
- 364. Andrew B.
- 365. James H.
- 366. Robert.
- 367. Hugh M.
- 368. Laura B.; born at Falmouth, Stafford Co., Va., March 30th, 1818; married S. P. Graves, a lawyer, June 2d, 1849; he died in 1886; she was living at Baton Rouge, La., in 1889; their children are: Mary, born September 13th, 1850, married T. B. Dupree, and died August 17th, 1883; Laura M.; Lucy E.; Samuel P.; Elizabeth B.
- 369. Elizabeth.
- 370. Mary H.; married Smith; one daughter, Mary, married L. B. deMorse, merchant at Texarkana, Tex., in 1889.
- 371. Rebecca; married Harrison of Texarkana; one son, Richard, a merchant at Texarkana in 1889.

372. Martha.

Jonathan Beckwith, 361, born in Stafford Co., Va., 1799; M. D.; moved to Lauderdale Co., Alabama, and died there in 1856; he married Dolly, daughter of Isaac Winston of Va.

- 373. Alexander.
- 374. Isaac.
- 375. William.
- 376. Elizabeth; born in Va., and living in Florence, Ala., 1889.

Alexander Beckwith, 373, living in Athens, Tennessee; married Mary Mason.

377. ——.

378. ——.

Richard Marmaduke Beckwith, 362, born in Stafford Co., Va., 1804; died in Lauderdale Co., Ala.; married Priscilla, daughter of Jas. Turner of Caroline, Va.

379. William J.

William J. Beckwith, 379, living Gravelly Springs, Ala., in 1888; married his first cousin, Virginia, daughter of Robert Beckwith, No. 366.

- 380. Robert R.; born in 1866.
- 381. Florence.

Andrew Buchanan Beckwith, 364, born Stafford Co., Va., in 1805; M. D.; married Adelaide B. Carter in 1830; she was born in Fauquier Co., Va., in 1806, and died in 1836.

- 382. Henry C.
- 383. Virginia; married Hutchinson.
- 384. Marmaduke C.; living in Lynchburg, Va., in 1891.



385. Minnie; living in Mobile, Ala., in 1889.

Henry C. Beckwith, 382, living in Lynchburg, Va., in 1889; he married Ada Le Baron of Pensacola, Fla. 386. ———.

James H. Beckwith, 365, born in Stafford Co., Va.; moved to Sevier, Arkansas, in 1883; was a tanner, and after the quick process of tanning was discovered he became a farmer, and died there; he married ——Simons of Virginia.

- 387. Amanda; born in 1844; married Smeadly of Ark. in 1883.
- 388. Rebecca; born in 1852; married three times in Ark.
- 389. Laura; born in 1862; married Thomas Bell of Ark.
- 390. James; born in 1858; living at Brownstone, Ark., in 1889.
- 391. Virginia; born in 1865; living at Brownstone, Ark., in 1889.

Robert Beckwith, 366, born in Stafford Co., Va., 1813; died in Alabama in 1873; he married Sarah B. Curtiss.

392. Virginia, who married her cousin William J. Beckwith of Gravelly Springs, Ala., No 379.

Hugh Mercer Beckwith, 367, born in Stafford Co., Va., in 1817; ranchman on the Rio Grande river at Presidio, Presidio Co., Texas, in 1889; he married Refugia Rascon, a Spanish lady, December 22d, 1849; she was born in Santa Fe, N. M., August 29th, 1833.

393. Robert W.; born October 16th, 1850.

393a. John M.; born January 14th, 1853.

394. Cornelia; born March 31st, 1857.

395. Josephine; born November 24th, 1858.

396. Ellen; born May 10th, 1861.

397. Elizabeth; born December 24th, 1867.

398. Nicolas Pino; born May 17th, 1869.

399. Laura; born September 24th, 1872.

Barnes Beckwith, 335, born in Richmond Co., Va., in 1783; was a captain in the quartermaster's department of the U. S. Army in 1812; was sheriff, justice of the peace, U. S. marshal, and member of the State Legislature of W. Va.; died in Jefferson Co., W. Va., in 1855; he married Betsy Peyton Martin of Virginia.

400. Lawrence A.

401. Barnes.

402. Mary Peyton; widow of D. Huff of W. Va.; has three children, all married.

403. Penelope S.; married B. R. Pennybacker of Belleville, W. Va.; four children, all married.

404. Jane; born in 1806; living in Parkersburg; unmarried in 1886.

Lawrence Albert Beckwith, 400, born in Jefferson Co., W. Va., in 1816; living at Ravenswood, W. Va., in 1889; he married his cousin Mary E., daughter of Tapley Beckwith.

405. Lewis A.; born June 13th, 1841; was a lieutenant in Co. D, of the 14th Reg. W. Va., in the U. S. Vol. Service, 1861-65; farmer, Wood Co., W. Va., in 1889.



- 406. Richard A.; born in 1842; county clerk of Wood Co.; farmer, Wood Co., W. Va., in 1889.
- 407. Tapley; born in 1847; farmer, Wood Co., W. Va., in 1889.

Barnes Beckwith, 401, born in Jefferson Co., W. Va., 1818; married Virginia, daughter of Abraham Samuels and Hannah Neal daughter of John Neal of "Border Warfare" fame.

- 408. Author B.
- 409. Rebecca; born in 1844; married R. P. Haywood; living in Dover, Mo., in 1889.
- 410. Elizabeth; born in 1847; married G. A. Pennybaker of W. Va.
- 411. Virginia; born in 1856; married C. C. Evans; living Bartlet, Ohio, in 1889.
- 412. John Neal; born in 1849; constable of Wood Co., W. Va., in 1889.
- 413. Abram S.; born in 1853; agent Adams Express Co., at Parkersburg, W. Va., in 1889.
- 414. George C.
- 414a. Lawrence A. Jr.; born in 1860.
- 415. William S.; born in 1860; clerk in Adams Ex. Co., at Parkersburg, in 1889.

Author B. Beckwith, 408, born in Jefferson Co., W. Va., in 1842; was county clerk, U. S. marshal of that county and chief of police of Parkersburg, W. Va., in 1869 he married Emma A. Sleoght, who was born in Germany, January 7th, 1851.



- 416. Helen R.; died young.
- 417. Walter S.; died young.
- 418. Charlotte V.; "Kate;" born August 1st, 1874.
- 419. Nellie; "Buster;" born April 14th, 1881.
- 420. Amly A.; "Blackbird;" born October 19th, 1852.

Marmaduke Beckwith, 327, married Sybel, daughter of Major Elsie of the Revolutionary Army.

- 421. Marmaduke B.
- 422. Tapley.
- 423. Newman.
- 424. Lucy; married Harrington.
- 425. Elizabeth; married Brough.
- 426. Mary E.
- 427. William; died in Prince William Co., Va., unmarried.
- 428. Jennings.
- 429. Lewis.

Marmaduke Brockinborough Beckwith, 421, married his cousin Rebecca, daughter of Sir Jonathan Beckwith.

- 430. Jonathan B.
- 431. Frank.

Jonathan Brockinborough Beckwith, 430, born 1800, in W. Va.; married Margarette, who was born in 1800, and died in 1884.

432. John; born in Wood Co., W. Va., and died there; he was a soldier in the Confederate Army, 1861-65.

Tapley Beckwith, 422, born in Richmond Co., Va.,



1798; died at Ravenswood, Wood Co., W. Va.; he married Nancy Bailey, who was born in Richmond Co., Va., and died in Wood Co., W. Va.

433. Author.

434. Alfred.

435. Elizabeth.

~ 436. Adaline.

437. Martha.

438. Tapley; living at Ravenswood, W. Va., in 1889.

439. Lewis; living at Cottageville, W. Va., in 1889.

440. Jennings; living at Ravenswood in 1889.

441. Barnes.

Barnes Beckwith, 441, born at Ravenswood, W. Va., in 1825; died there; he married Elizabeth Lord in 1849; she was born and died at Ravenswood.

442. William; living at Ravenswood, W. Va., in 1889.

443. Ered.

444. Charles B.

445. Tapley.

446. Nancy G.

448. Leroy A.

Leroy A. Beckwith, 448, born at Ravenswood, W. Va., in 1850; merchant and lumber dealer at Ravenswood in 1889; he married Nannie F. Jarrett in 1877; she was born at Charlestown, W. Va., in 1853.

449. Evalina; born November 18th, 1878.

450. Nora; born May 5th, 1880.

- 451. Martha; born October 24th, 1882.
- 452. Roy Barnes; born November 24th, 1885.

Newman Beckwith, 423, born in Richmond Co., Va.; moved to Mississippi Co., Mo., in 1812, and died there; he married Judith A. Neal; she was born in Va. and died in Mo. in 1836; she was an aunt of the mother of General Stonewall Jackson, C. S. A.

- 453. Underwood; died in 1855 unmarried.
- 454. Richard; died unmarried.
- 455. Francis; died in 1857 unmarried.
- 456. Sabina; died unmarried.
- 457. Lucy; married J. Hunter and left two children; Joseph married Miss Harell and was living at Jackson, Mo., in 1889; Catherine married John Carns.
- 458. Quiros.
- 459. Marmaduke.
- 460. Mountain; born in Va. before 1840; married Mrs. Faulkner; no children.
- 461. Barnes; born in Va.; married Miss Faulkner; no children.

Quiros Beckwith, 458, born in Fairfax C. H., Va., September 25th, 1801; settled in Mississippi Co., Mo., and died September 3d, 1862; he married Susan Johnson, April 2d, 1839; she was born in Nashville, Tenn., October 31st, 1813.

- 462. Ellen; born October 15th, 1842; died at Shelbyville, Ky., June 2d, 1858.
- 463. Margarette; born Cinthiana, Ky., October 8th, 1844; died September 9th, 1851.



- **464.** Mathew; born October 3d, 1846; died January 27th, 1847.
- 465. Quiros.
- 466. Thomas.

Quiros Beckwith, 465, born in Mississippi Co., Mo., November 22d, 1847; died there February 8th, 1878; he married Susan James, August 7th, 1866; she died July 4th, 1879.

- 467. Quiros; born in Charlestown, Mo., April 14th, 1869; living there in 1889.
- 468. John Harding; born August 23d, 1867; living Charlestown, Mo, in 1889; he mar ried Julia Winbush, December 28th, 1887.

Thomas Beckwith, 466, born in Mississippi Co., Mo., January 24th, 1840; farmer; living in Charlestown, Mo., in 1889; he married Laura Swauk, March 11th, 1863; she was born in Hardin Co., Ky., December 4th, 1844.

- 469. Lillie May; born November 26th, 1864; living Charlestown, Mo., in 1889.
- 470. Minnie Lee; born December 19th, 1866; living Charlestown, Mo., in 1889.
- 471. Allie; born October 10th, 1868; living Charlestown, Mo., in 1889.
- 472. William; born 1870; died November 28th, 1882.

Marmaduke Beckwith, 459, born in Virginia, in 1805; married twice; his first wife was ——— Griffith; the children by this marriage all died young; by



his second marriage, with the daughter of Col. Hunter of Mississippi Co., Mo., he had the following children:

- 473. Amanda; married L. T. Medley; living Arcadia, Mo., in 1889.
- · 474. Judith Ann; married Peas of Farmington,
 Mo.
 - 475. Underwood; born in Mississippi Co., Mo.; living at Bird's Point, Mo., in 1889.
 - 476. Lucy B.; born in 1842; married Dr. Travis, and was living, in 1889, at Wolf Island, Mo.

Lewis Beckwith, 429, born in Prince William Co., Va., in 1789; died in Wood Co., W. Va.; he married Matilda Carter of Prince William Co., W. Va.; she moved to Grayson Co., Ky., in 1854, and died there; by marriage she was related to George Washington's mother, Mary Ball, who married Augustine Washington; also, to Gen. Wm. H. Harrison, President of the United States, grandfather of the present President (1889); also, to Gen. Robert E. Lee, major-general in the Confederate Army during the War of the Rebellion, through his wife, who was a Fitzhugh of Virginia.

- 477. Jane; died young.
- 478. Ann; born in Grayson Co., Ky.; married John A. Hord of Grayson Co., Ky., and died in 1851; children: Lewis B.; Mary W.; Bainton M.; Arthur A.; John W.; William T.; Frank J.
- 479. Arthur.

Arthur Beckwith, 479, born in Wood Co., W. Va.,

September 22d, 1815; living in Grayson Co., Ky., in 1889; farmer; he moved to Grayson Co., Ky., in 1828; married Louisa Duncan, May 26th, 1842; she was born in Greenup Co., Ky., August 16th, 1818.

480. William L.; born March 5th, 1843; farmer; living in Grayson, Carter Co., Ky., in 1889.

481. Jane.

482. Mary L.

483. Sophia M.; born January 15th, 1849.

484. Lucy H.; born June 12th, 1851.

485. A. Laura; born September 1st, 1855.

486. Allen C.; born May 23d, 1858; farmer; living Grayson, Carter Co., Ky., in 1889.

Mathew Beckwith, 309, of Tanfield and Slenington; captain in the Parliamentary Army; was born in 1628; married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Buck of Filey, knight; buried at Tanfield in 1679.

487. John.

488. William.

489. Susana.

490. Mary; baptized at Tanfield in 1652.

491. Elizabeth; baptized in 1658.

492. Martha; died young.

John Beckwith of Sleningford, 487, age 14 in 1666; died in 1688; he married Castliana, daughter of Lionel Copley of Wadsworth; she died May 13th, 1700.

493. Roger; died young.

494. Castliana; died young.

495. Elizabeth; died young.

William Beckwith, 488, of Thurcroft, born November 22d, 1664; inherited Thurcroft from his uncle William Beckwith; he was buried at Laughton Co., York, October 3d, 1713; married Mary, daughter of Sir Edward Chalmer of Guisburg; she died in 1702, and was buried at Laughton.

- 496. William.
- 497. John of Dalton Hall; merchant; mayor of Beaumont; he married Miss Wyke.
- 498. Edward; com. of customs of Tewsham Co., Kent.
- 499. Mathew; merchant Marine service; died unmarried; buried at St. Paul's, Covent Garden, London, in 1728.
- 500. Mary; married June 1714 to John Murray of Slade Horton.
- 501. Elizabeth; married twice in Lincoln Co.
- 502. Susana; married 1722 to Thomas Harrison of Dillern Co., Stafford.
- 503. Margarette; married Jno. Powers of Uttoexeter Co., Stafford.
- 504. Dorothy; married George Saunders, Gent. of Howden, and died October 24th, 1734.
- 505. Mary.
- 506. Élizabeth; died young.

William Beckwith, 496, of Thurcroft and Slenington; married April 28th, 1715; died at Thurcroft, April 10th, 1760, aged 74; he married Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of John Woodfield of Fishburn and Trimden Co., Durham; she died in 1767, aged 70.

- 507. Woodfield.
- 508. Malby; ensign in the 3d Reg. of foot (Buffs) 1775.
- 509. John; Lieut.-Col. in Abercrombie's Regiment; died and buried at Bishop Middle-ham in 1705, aged 65.
- 510. William.
- 511. John.
- 512. William.
- 513. Author.
- 514. Mary.
- 515. Jane; married J. Welty.
- 516. Elizabeth; married William Horsfall, and died aged 72 in 1798.

Woodfield Beckwith, 507, of Thurcroft and Trimden, baptized at Laughton in 1719; married Maud Dorothy, daughter of C. Robinson of Eastington Co., Durham, in 1771; died 1779.

- 517. William.
- 518. Richard; died young.

William Beckwith, 517, of Thurcroft, in Yorkshire and Trimden, in Durham; died in 1847. Married Caroline, daughter of John Nesham, of Houghton-le-Spring, she died in St. Omer, France, in 1832.

519. William of Thurcroft and Trimden, K. H., General in the Army, and Colonel of the 14th Hussars in 1846, born in 1795, died in 1871. He married Priscella, daughter and heiress of Thomas Hopper of Silksworth House.



- 520. John; born in September 1803.
- 521. Henry.
- 522. Carolina; married Samuel Kentish, and died in 1867.
- 523. Mary; died unmarried in 1865.

Henry Beckwith, 521. In Holy Orders, Rector of Eaton, Conatantine Co., Salop, he was born in 1806; married Anne Rose, daughter of Rev. John Eaton.

- 524. Henry John; captain in the 23d Reg., born in 1840.
- 525. William Edmund; born in 1844.
- 526. Rose Caroline.

William Beckwith, 510, of Cary street, London, Barrister at Law.

- 527. William; ensign 27th Reg., died unmarried in 1776.
- 528. Maria.
- 529. Elizabeth.

Edward Beckwith, 498, commissioner of Customs, of Tewsham Co., Kent, he married twice.

530. Onslow; lieut. Royal Welsh Fusileers, 23d Foot 1771, captain in the 45th, 1776, left a daughter who died young.

Mathew Beckwith, 103, born in Ponteferact, Yorkshire Eng., about 1610. Emigrated to New England in 1635, residing for a short time at Saybrook Point 1635, Bramford 1638, Hartford among the first settlers in 1642. Lyme in 1651 he purchased large tracts of land on the Niantic river, and was left a legacy by Capt. Lyrado, his land laid practically in Lyme and

New London. Mould & Art ship builders constructed especially for him the barque Endeavor, which was the first vessel launched from New London, and traded with the Barbadoes, she was sold at Barbadoes in 1666, for a cargo of sugar. Mathew was of that class known as planters, many of whom were men of means, who placed their vessels in the charge of competent mariners, who also attended to the mercantile transactions and interests of the owners. Mathew was born September 22d, 1610, and died December the 13th, 1681. "His death being sudden, and being the result of an accident, a jury was summoned, who gave their verdict, that he came to his death by mistaking his way of a dark night and falling from a cliff of rocks.' He left an estate valued at 393 pounds (\$1,975) "at his death he left a wife Elizabeth."

531. Mathew.

533. Joseph.

534. Nathaniel.

535. Benjamin.

536. A daughter, who married Benjamin Grant.

537. A daughter, who married Robert Girard.

Mathew Beckwith, 531, born possibly at Saybrook Point, in 1637; was recorded at Waterford, where he was made a freeman in 1653; he resided first at Guildford, and was one of the founders of the church there, and died at New London, Conn., June 4th, 1727; he married twice; by his first wife, Elizabeth, he had the following children:



- 538. Mathew.
 - 539. John.
 - 540. James.
 - 541. Jonah.
 - 542. Prudence; born in New London, August 22d, 1676; married Roger Bart of Lyme, July 24th, 1717; children, Solomon, born April 10th, 1739; Margarette, born May 1st, 1737; Lucy, born May 10th, 1722; Ann, born May 31st, 1724; Roger, born July 14th, 1726; Richard, born December 20th, 1728; William, born December 21st, 1730; Prudence, born December 5th, 1732; Hannah, born July 25th, 1735.
 - 543. Elizabeth; born February 4th, 1678; married James Burchard, March 17th, 1696.
- √ 544. Ruth; born March 14th, 1680.
 - 545. Sarah; born Lyme, Ct., December 15th, 1684; died February 28th, 1773; married Joseph Leonard in 1704.

Mathew Beckwith, 531, his second wife Elizabeth, daughter of Mathew Griswold of Lyme; she married three times; her first husband was John Rogers, the founder of the sect known as "Friends, or Quakers," and sometimes called "Rogerine Quakers," whom she married October 17th, 1670; from him she was divorced October 18th, 1676; her second husband was Peter Pratt, whom she married August 5th, 1679; he died March 24th, 1685; in 1689



she married Mathew Beckwith, and had by him a daughter, and died at Lyme in 1737.

546. Griswold; born in 1691 at Lyme and married Eliakem Cooly at Lyme, Conn., September 14, 1706; children Eliakim, born 1707; Griswold, born 1709, died 1764; Mathew, born 1712; Jonah, born 1716; died 1778; Josiah, born 1714; died, 1715; Luke, born 1718; died 1777; Hezekiah, born 1720; died 1796; Elizabeth, born 1727; Esther, born 1729.

Mathew Beckwith, 538, born at Guilford, Ct., April 13th, 1667, and died there June 4th, 1740; married Elizabeth, February 17th, 1721; she was born at New London and died at Lyme in 1746.

- 547. Abiyah; born July 11th, 1722.
- 548. Ellzabeth; born February 14th, 1723; married twice; 1st, married Joshua Champion, Oct. 14th, 1742; children, Lydia, born August 3d, 1745; Joshua, born February 3d, 1747. 2d, married to D.Peck, April 19th, 1757; children, Martin, b. 1759; Elizabeth, born 1761; Darious, born 1770; Huldah, born 1772; Simion, born 1766; Andrew, born 1768; John, b. 1770; Um, born 1774; Elisha, born 1777; Timothy, born 1779.
 - 549. Lois; born July 11th, 1725.
- 550. Diadiama; born November 18th, 1728.
- 551. Eunice; born May 4th, 1733.



552. Sarah; born April 22d, 1737.

John Beckwith, 539, born Bramford, February 4th, 1669; he moved to New London, and there married Naomi de Wolf August 12th, 1700; she was born at Waterford 1676, and died at Lyme 1736.

553. John.

554. Elisha; born at New London 1712; died at Waterford, Ct.; married Amy Durand, October 10th, 1759; she was born at Waterford, and died there.

James Beckwith, 540, born New London, June 1st, 1671; removed to Lyme in 1692, and died there in 1719; he married Sarah Griswold, September 22d, 1693; she was born at Lyme in 1673, and died there October 10th, 1714.

555. James.

556. Martha; born August 16th, 1697; married Joseph Wait in 1715.

557. Sarah; born July 1st, 1701.

558. Elizabeth; born May 30th, 1702.

559. Mary; born June 1st, 1716; 1st husband Durant Tinker; 2d husband, married 1745 to Capt. Starling of Lyme.

560. Daniel.

561. Samuel.

562. Renald.

563. John; born October 10th, 1714.

James Beckwith, 555, born Lyme, Ct., May 11th, 1695; died there July, 1730; married Mary Lamb,

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July 3d, 1721; she was born at New London, 1697, and died there.

564. Sarah; born Lyme, Ct., March 20th, 1722. 565. Rebecca; born Lyme, Ct., January 20th, 1729.

566. James.

James Beckwith, 566, born at Lyme. April 1st, 1725; died at Bristol, Ct, October 12th, 1764; he married Lucy Griswold, April 10th, 1755; she was born at Lyme, Ct., September 28th, 1729.

567. Thomas; born at Lyme, Ct., 1755; removed to Rhode Island; removed to Exeter, Otsego Co., N. Y.; he married Azubah Pinkney in 1786.

568. James.

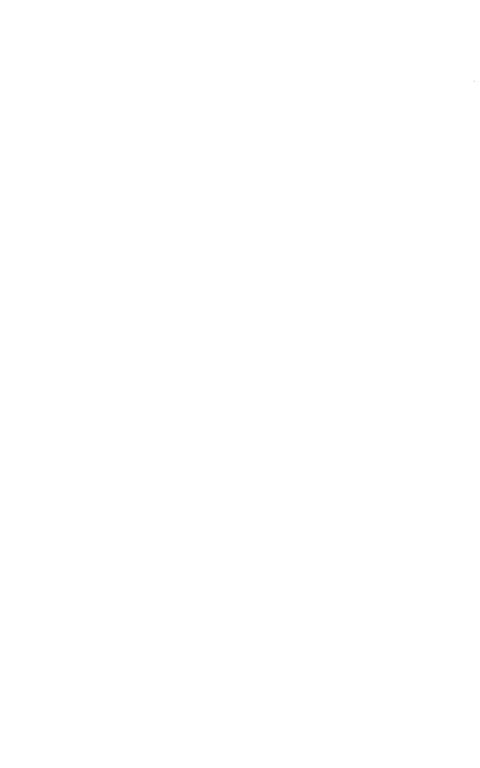
569. Zacariah; born at Bristol, Ct., February 14th, 1761; died there May 21st, 1811; married Eunice Gaylord; she was born October 18th, 1764, and died at Bristol in 1846.

Daniel Beckwith, 560, born at Lyme, Ct., October 26th, 1704; farmer and Baptist minister; died November 10th, 1763; married Miriam Smith, November 13th, 1740; she moved to Marlow, N. H., in 1765, and died there March 7th, 1809; she was born in 1721.

570. Eleazor; born at Lyme, Ct., in 1741; he was a Baptist minister in good standing and, also, a farmer; he died April 16th, 1808; married Hannah Lewis, who was born in 1743, and died August 16th, 1823.

- 571. Mary; born October 9th, 1743, and died June 23d, 1823; married Samuel Miller of Lyme.
- 572. Elizabeth; married Richard Lampshire of Lyme, and died in 1814.
- 573. Titus; born Lyme, Ct., December 30th, 1736; farmer; died at Chelsea, N. Y., in 1802.
- 574. Ruel; born Lyme, Ct., August 18th, 1742; died December 11th, 1790; married Sarah Wood, December 9th, 1773.
- 575. Amos; born at Lyme, Ct., April 17th, 1730; removed to Marlow, N. H., in 1787; to Sutton, Vt.; Baptist minister; died at Sutton, Vt., December 6th, 1822; he married Susannah Trueman, who was born at New London, Ct., August 4th, 1760, and died at Sutton, Vt., September 21st, 1839.
- 576. Ira; born 1733; died January 7th, 1829; he was a farmer; married Hannah Wheelock, in 1750; she died May 22d, 1780.
- 577. Amon; born Lyme, Ct., 1752, and died July 28th, 1805; farmer; he removed to Marlow, N. H., and married Sarah Brown; she was born in 1763, and died June 28th, 1837.

Samuel Beckwith, 561, born at Lyme, Ct., May 14th, 1709; removed to Norwich, Ct.; had grant of land in Cornwallis, N. S., from the British Government; he died there; married Miriam Marvin, in 1740, daughter of Captain Renald Marvin, of Lyme, Ct.



578. Samuel; born Norwich, Ct.; removed to Cornwallis, N. S., and settled at Halifax, N. S.; he married Rebecca Chapman, of Lyme, Ct.

579. Marvin.

580. Handley.

Renald Beckwith, 562, born at Lyme, Ct., February 6th, 1706, to Fredericton N. B., where he married Mary Handley, April 12th, 1796; she was born at Fredericton, N. B.

581. Elizabeth.

582. Mary Ann.

583. Nehemiah; born in Conn.; was drowned at Frederickton, N. B., he married Julia Le Brun, who was born in Canada, in 1790.

584. Samuel; born in New Brunswick, died at Buffalo, N. Y.; married Adelaide Le Brun, born in Canada and died at Albion, N. Y.

Jonah Beckwith, 541, born at New London, Conn., December 27th, 1673; to Lyme, Conn., Deacon of the Congregational Church of Lyme; died there in 1744; married Rebecca, July 12th, 1701; she was born at Lyme, in 1719.

585. George.

586. Benjamin.

587. Jonah.

George Beckwith, 585, born at Lyme, Conn., September 17th, 1702; graduate of Yale, ordained first pastor of the Congregational Church of Lyme, in January, 1730; died there in 1794. In 1761 was Chaplain

of the 1st Regiment Conn. Volunteers; participating in the French and Indian wars, and was at Lake George, N. Y.; he was moderator of the general association of Conn., in 1762, at Marsfield, Conn., and in 1773, at Bristol, Conn.; married Sarah, December, 1744; she was born in 1705, and died in 1797.

588. George; born at Lyme, Conn., in 1733; graduate Yale College and entered the ministry, but afterward became a practicing physician at Lyme; he removed to Great Barrington, married and had children, all daughters.

589. Barzillai; born Lyme Conn., in 1736; Deacon of the Congregational Church, to East Haddam in 1765, farmer; he married Mary Butler of East Haddam, she died there.

590. Nathaniel Brown was killed in the Revolutionary War.

Benjamin Beckwith, 586, born at Lyme, Conn., October 18th, 1706.

591. Benjamin.

591a Josiah; born at Lyme, Conn., in 1742; married Mehitable Parsons (or Piersons).

592. Silas.

592a. David.

John Beckwith, 532, born at Lyme, Conn., in 1669, one of the original Patentees of New London, to Waterford Conn. In a deposition before the county court he says that he "had lived at Niantic Ferry for the last seventy years," as the deposition was dated in

1740, he must have been at that time one hundred and two years old.

593. John.

594. Elisha.

John Beckwith, 593, he was born at Waterford, Conn., August 12th, 1718; married Elizabeth Mayhew, October 12th, 1742.

595. Elizabeth; born May 25th, 1743.

596. Amy; born in 1745.

597. Sabra: born in 1750.

598. Neah; born 1752; married July 8th, 1773.

599. John; born 1753; enlisted in the Revolutionary Army, 1775; one year quartermaster's assistant; quarter-master; third lieutenant recruiting service; was taken prisoner battle Flatbush; resigned 1778.

600. Seth; born 1755; married November 14th, 1781.

601. Frederick; born 1758; married April 3d, 1783.

602. Lydia.

603. Esther; born 1762.

604. Caleb; born 1763; married in 1788.

Elisha Beckwith, 594, born and died at Waterford, Ct.; buried on the west bank of the Niantic river; his grave is unmarked.

605. Elisha; born at Waterford, Ct., in 1761; he had ten children, who all settled in the Western and Southern States.

606. Jason.

- 607. David; born Waterford, Ct.; removed to New York.
- Jason Beckwith, 606, born Waterford, Ct., 1764; removed to New London, Ct.; ship-builder; married 1785; died New London, Ct.
 - 608. David.
 - 609. Ezra.
 - 610. Amy; married Anson Smith; living Chicago, Ill., in 1886.
 - 611. Sabra.
 - 612. Betsy.
 - 613. Elisha.
 - 614. Jason; married Naomi Caulkins.
 - 615. Gurdon; born New London, Ct.; enlisted in the U. S. Army, 1807-8; served under Gens. Harrison and Hull; taken prisoner Detroit; served in the 37th Conn. Reg.; married Wealthy ———; she was living in 1887; a son, Gurdon, living at New London, Ct., in 1889.
 - 616. Daniel.
 - 617. James.

James Beckwith, 617, born September 12th, 1803; died February 24th, 1875; he married ———— Caulkins, sister of his brother's wife.

- 618. Cordelia.
- 619. James E.; married and had two daughters:
 Julia A., married Hon. R. W. Chapman,
 living Waterford, Ct., 1889; Agnes D.,
 married Rev. F. P. Braman; she died November 30th, 1886.

620. Elisha P.; born August 17th, 1832; married; no children; living New London, Ct.; U. S. Ship Inspector in 1889.

621. Cyrus G.

Cyrus G. Beckwith, 621, born at New London, Ct.; merchant there in 1888; State Senator, Connecticut Legislature, several times: married Augusta Dart, who was born at Saybrook, Ct., October 23d, 1841.

622. James Allen; born at New London, Ct.,

September 26th, 1868.

Joseph Beckwith, 533, born Lyme, Ct., in 1640; served in the military expedition to Wood Creek, 1708, in the old French War, where he lost his life; he married Susanna, daughter of Capt. Way of Lyme; she was born in Lyme, July 9th, 1682.

623. Sarah; born April 14th, 1677.

624. Joseph.

Joseph Beckwith, 624, born at Lyme, Ct., April 15th, 1679, was living in 1727, but died prior to 1730; he married Mary ———

625. Joseph; born at Lyme, Conn., in 1700;

died August 9th, 1764.

626. Thomas; born at Lyme, Conn., December 11th, 1711; living Bristol, Conn., in 1789.

627. Hezekiah.

628. Susanna.

629. Mary; born in 1709; married Mathew

Marvin, 1732.

630. Lydia; born 1711; married Benjamin Huntley, April 27th, 1732; one son Curtice B., b. 1725.

- 631. Dorothea; born 1715.
- 632. Elijah.
- 633. Nathan.
- 634. Stephan; born Lyme, Conn., 1721.
- 635. Elizabeth; married Darius Peck, April 19, 1757.
- 636. Hannah; married John Griswold.

Nathaniel Beckwith, 534, born at New London, Conn., in June 1642.

637. Nathaniel.

Nathaniel Beckwith, 637, born at Lyme, Conn., May 28th, 1671; married Sarah, who was born at East Haddam, Conn.

- 638. Job; born at Lyme, Conn., May 22d, 1705; married Elizabeth Harvey, who was born in Mass.
- 639. Nathaniel; born at Lyme, Conn., January 6th, 1707.
- 640. Stephan.
- 641. Jerusha; born August 10th, 1709.
- 642. Sarah; born August 13th, 1712.
- 643, Patience.
- 644. Joseph; born December 10th, 1715.

Benjamin Beckwith, 535, born at New London, Conn., March 8th, 1643; he was a mariner and was lost at sea; married Azubah Brewster of Hartford, Conn.

- 645. Benjamin; born at New London, January 13th, 1679.
- 646. Elisha.

- 647. Samuel; drowned at Lyme about 1800; enlisted in the Revolutionary Army in 1775, Sells Co., Parsons' Reg., Conn. line for seven months; re-enlisted 1776 for one year; re-enlisted 1777 in the sea service; was taken prisoner during the war and exchanged; married twice; first, Polly Greenfield in 1781; born 1760; second, Mary Tinker, who died in 1836.
- 648. Sarah; married Ebenezer Perkins of Lyme, Conn.

Elisha Beckwith, 646, born at New London, Conn., January 13th, 1682; married Nancy Perkins of Lyme, Conn.; moved to Lyme, Conn., where they both died.

649. James; born Lyme, Conn., in 1711.

650. Elisha.

651. Prudence.

652. Huldah.

Elisha Beckwith, 650, born Lyme, Conn., 1718; he married Adelaide Carpenter, who was born at Lyme n 1724, and died there.

653. Rev. Roswell.

- 654. Samuel, born at Lyme, Conn., in 1755; settled at Hartford, Conn., he enlisted in the Revolutionary Army in 1776, and served in Sells' Company, Parsons' Regiment.
- 655. Nathan; born at Lyme, Conn., in 1747; settled at Waterford, Conn.; sailor. Enlisted in the Revolutionary Army in 1775; served in Sells' company, Parsons' regiment;

he married Patience in 1774; he had a grandson Samuel, age 9 in 1847.

656. Abner; born Lyme, Conn., in 1857. Enlisted in the Revolutionary Army in 1776, Ely's company, Conn. Line. Re-enlisted in 1777, on the Spy Boat, and served twenty-two months.

Rev. Roswell Beckwith, 653, born at Lyme, Conn., October 21st, 1753, was a Presbyterian minister; later joined the Baptist Church and became a preacher of that denomination; removed to Coeymans, N. Y., in 1795, Cazenovia, N. Y., in 1807; died February 2d, 1836; enlisted in the Continental Army, Sells' Company, Parsons' regiment, in 1775; he was taken prisoner at Fort Washington and placed in the prison ship in New York harbor; he married Lydia, daughter of George Dorr of Lyme; they were married January 13th, 1780; she died April 16th, 1834.

657. Deacon Barak.

658. Roswell; born at Lyme, Conn., October 8th, 1789; died August 8th, 1870; married Nancy Hudson, February 29th, 1820; she died July, 1832; his second wife was Olive King of Pompey, N. Y.; they were married September 3d, 1833; she died in 1865.

659. George; born at Lyme, Conn., February

20th, 1792; died 1814.

660. Elizabeth; born December 5th, 1782; married Chancy Jones of Coeymans, N. Y., February 3d, 1802; children: Allen; living Rochelle, Ill.; Hiram; living Penn Yan

Pa.; Amos; his widow living Waukegan, Ill.; Ransom; died unmarried; Sally; died

in Albany, leaving children.

661. Huldah; born at Lyme, Conn., November 14th, 1785; married Alva Hotchkins of Cazenovia, June 5th, 1809; children: Maria; married James Kent; living Palmyra, N. Y.; Susan; married Allen Scoville; living Sullivan, N. Y.; Lydia; married Charles Barnes; living Walworth, N. Y.

662. Eunice; born December 4th, 1787; married Peter Peck, January 6th, 1814; children: Lydia A.; married Joel Foster; Harriet; married William Davis; Daniel; married Betsy Foster; Betsy; married A. N. Clarke;

William; married and left children.

663. James; born at Coeymans, N. Y., June 1st, 1796; married his cousin Mary A. Hyde of Lisle, N. Y., August 28th, 1825; she was born January 22d, 1799; and was living at Cazenovia in 1858. He served in the U. S. Army in the war of 1812. Enlisted in 1814, and served in Captain Underwood's company.

Robert Beckwith, 48, born at Clint, Yorkshire, England; married Barbarra, daughter of James Lowen-

thorp of Lowenthorp.

664. John.

665. Mary.

John Beckwith, 664,

666. Sir Leonard.

- 667. Ambrose.
- 668. Jane; married William Allen.
- 669. William.

Sir Leonard Beckwith, 666, of Selby, High Sheriff County York, 4th year of Edward 6th, 1551; he served King Henry in his French wars, and served Edward 6th; from him received the Abbey of Selby, 1550; he was Seneschal of the Abbies of St. Marys, Ancaster and Stillingfleet, and Selby Abbey, County York, 1535. Lord of the Manor of Catfoss by purchase from Sir R. Gressham, in 1539; was knighted, admitted one of the council of the North. Admitted Corpus Christie, York 1529. Died May 7th, 1555, and was buried in York Minster; will dated April 15th, 1555; proven in 1558. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Rogers Cholmley, lord chief justice; she died November, 1583, aged sixty; buried at York Minster November 28th.

- 670. Roger, of Hardwicke Hall, sold his lands and Selby to Henry, Earl of Derby, and died in 1587; he married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Roger Cholmley of Roxby.
- 671. Francis; died young.
- 672. Elizabeth; married Wm. Vavasour of Weston, Co. York.
 - 673. Frances; daughter and co-heiress; married Sir George Harvey of Markes Tey, County Essex; lieutenant of London Tower.

Ambrose Beckwith, 667, of Stillingfleet, etc., by devise from his brother, Sir Leonard, was admitted



Corpus Christie, York, 1531; in 1540 was granted site of Handale Abbey, and died March 10th, 1574; buried in church of Stillingfleet; he married daughter of Sir R. Metham of Luckton; living 1557; buried in church at Stillingfleet.

674. Leonard.

675. Roger.

676. Ann.

677. Elizabeth.

678. Isabel; married John Saltmarsh of Whitby.

679. Jane; married Miles Newton of Whixley, and died in 1604.

680. Grace; married Fairfax, and died in 1601.

681. Thomas.

Leonard Beckwith, 674, of Stillingfleet and Handale, in the North Riding of Yorkshire, 1584; will dated July 24th, 1596.

682. Jane; daughter and heiress.

Roger Beckwith, 675, of Handale Abbey; married Elizabeth, daughter of Peter Newark of Accomb, Co. York; formerly esquire of the body of Queen Mary; she died in July 29th, 1696.

683. Newark.

684. Philip.

685. Mary Ann.

Newark Beckwith, 683, of Handale Abbey, died 1656; married Mary, daughter of John Fisk of Lax-field, County Suffolk.

686. Leonard.

687. Mary.

688. Elizabeth; married Robert Lascelles of Eighshine, County York.

Leonard Beckwith, 686, of Handale Abbey; he was born in 1619, and married twice; his first wife was Theaphinia, daughter of Marmaduke Grimstone of Grimstone Garth; by this first marriage he had the following children:

689. Roger; age 18 in 1666.

690. William; died young.

691. Newark.

692. Leonard; age 14 in 1666.

693. Marmaduke; age 9 in 1666.

694. Ann; baptized in 1643.

695. Mary; married Philip Gemet of Dahsmill, Co. York.

Newark Beckwith, 691, age 16 in 1666.

696. John.

697. Roger.

John Beckwith, 696, lieutenant-colonel in the army; married Sarah Crook; she died in 1741.

698. John.

John Beckwith, 698, major-general, commanded the 20th Regiment at the battle of Minden, and the Brigade of Grenadiers and Highlanders during the Seven Years' War, with very distinguished reputation; he married Janet, daughter of Dr. G. Wishart, Deacon of Chapel Royal, Edinburgh, and Anne, daughter of Sir James Campbell, of Orchard Argyleshire; she died in 1827, aged 97.

699. John.



- 700. Sir George, G. C. B.; adjutant, 1776; general and commander-in-chief of the Island of Barbadoes in 1798; lieutenant-general in 1805; governor of the Windward Islands in 1815; quartermaster-general to the forces in North America in 1814; colonel 89th Foot, 1818; commander of the forces in Ireland in 1819; born in 1753, and died in 1824; unmarried.
- 701. Ferdinand Amelia; ensign 33d Foot, 1779; lieutenant, 1780; colonel, 1802; brigadiergeneral on His Majesty's, and major of the 37th Foot; died in 1805, and was born in 1764.
- 702. William.
- 703. Sir Thomas.
- 704. Jessie; born in 1773, and died in 1776.

John Beckwith, 699, of Somerby Park, Co. York, born in 1751; lieutenant 15th Light Dragoons, 1776; lieutenant 79th Liverpool Vol., 1780; captain 23d Light Dragoons; married Mary Halliburton, sister of the supreme judge of Halifax, N. S., in 1818.

- 705. George; was in the navy, and died unmarried.
- 706. Charles; Major-General in the army.
- 707. Sydney; lieutenant-colonel of Rifle Brigade in 1848; captain in 1839; major in 1847; was killed in the Crimean War.
- 708. Henry Ferdinand; lieutenant colonel in the Rifle Brigade; captain, 1830; major, 1840; died at Kingston, Canada.

- 709. Susan; married Lieut.-Col. Evart of Bath, in 1874.
- 710. Anne.
- 711. Mary.
- 712. Jessie.
- 713. Isabell.
- 714. Catherine.
- 715. Clementina.

Major-General Charles Beckwith, 706, born at Halifax, N. S., in 1789, and died at La Tour, France, in 1862; in 1807 was in the expedition against Denmark; in 1808 against Sweden; in 1809 in the War of the Spanish Peninsula; was present at Corunna; and in every action of importance until 1814, when he received the gold medal and rank of major, 3d March; Commander of the Bath in 1815; 95th Foot, acting-quartermaster; lieutenant-colonel, 1815; lost a leg at the battle of Waterloo; captain on half pay, 1820; Knight of St. Maurice and Lazarus; (see work, "General Beckwith, his life and labors among the Walden's of Piedmont," by J. P. Meille); he married a peasant girl of Piedmont, Italy.

716. Charlotte; posthumous and only child.

William George Henry Beckwith, 702, born in 1765, and died 1844; ensign 20th, and captain 52d Regiments; married Sophia Maria Johanna, daughter of Lieut.-Col. Robt. Ewing, son of Ewing of Borsham Towers, Dumphries; married in 1806, and died 1867.

717. John Ferdinand; born in 1824; lieut. of the Rifle Brigade in 1844.

718. Charlotte; married Rev. James Maringay.

719. Elizabeth; died unmarried.

720. Georgiana; died unmarried.

721. Jessie Henrietta.

722. Sophia.

Sir Thomas Sydney Beckwith, 703, K. C. B.; majorgeneral in 1814; born in 1770; died in 1831 while in the command of the Bombay Army; acting governor of Bombay; he married twice; his second wife was Mary, eldest daughter of Sir William Douglas, Bart., and was sister of the second and third Marquis of Queensbury; she was married in 1817, and died in 1841; by his first wife, Clementina, daughter of Laughman, she died in Canada in 1815, he had the following children:

723. Ferdinand; died young.

724. Thomas Sydney; in the Rifle Brigade; died 1827.

725. Jessie Philadelphia; died in 1822.

723. Ann Clementina; married in 1830 to E. Wilson of Rigmaden Hall, Westmoreland.

Leonard Beckwith, 686, of Handale Abbey; married his second wife, who was Anne, daughter of John Theiry of Heward, Co. York, by whom he had the following children:

727. Albert; age 1 in 1666.

728. Helen; age 3 years in 1666.

Thomas Beckwith, 681, of Poppleton; married Isabel, daughter and heiress of Guy Franklin of Nether Poppleton; she was buried at Poppleton, May, 1613.



- 729. Ambrose; buried at Poppleton in 1665.
- 730. Leonard; buried at Poppleton in 1663.
- 731. Roger.
- 732. Henry of Nether Poppleton; buried there in 1663; unmarried.
- 733. Susannah; born at Poppleton in 1569.
- 734. Elizabeth; married John Routh of Ricall, Co. York.
- 735. Mary.
- 736. Margarette; buried at Poppleton in 1640.
- 737. Mary; buried at Poppleton in 1640.

Roger Beckwith, 731, buried at Poppleton in 1677; married Elizabeth, daughter of William Stiles.

- 738. John of Poppleton; buried there in 1689; married Mary, daughter of Henry Smithson of Brompton, Co. York; buried there.
- 739. Ambrose.
- 740. Elizabeth; born in 1644; married in 1669 to Robert Horsefield, and died soon after.

Ambrose Beckwith, 739, of Poppleton; married Anne, daughter of W. Nelson; buried at Poppleton in 1728.

- 741. Roger.
- 742. Ambrose of Poppleton.
- 743. John; baptized at Poppleton in 1715, and buried there in 1717.
- 744. William.

Roger Beckwith, 741, of Poppleton, until about 1746 when he sold his property there; died at Heningborough; buried there in September, 1787; he married

Catherine, daughter of Ralph Bray of Woodhall near Herningborough.

745. Roger.

746. Ambrose.

747. William of Poppleton in 1738; buried there in 1740.

748. Thomas; baptized in 1745.

749. John; dead in 1758.

750. Elizabeth.

751. Dorothy.

752. Catherine.

753. Amabilla; died unmarried.

Rev. Roger Beckwith, 745, of Nun Monkton, Co. York; by his second wife, Dorothy, daughter of James Short of Martin's Hall, Hasworth, Co. Notts; she died in 1789; he had the following children:

754. Rev. Thomas; born November, 1768, at Nun Monkton; in 1836 was living, unmarried.

Rev. Roger Beckwith, 745; by first wife Mary, daughter of John Comfort of Newton-on-Ouse, he had

755. Ambrose; baptized at Nun Monkton in 1758; drowned in the North Sea in 1778.

756. Hannah; buried at Nun Monkton in 1778.

757. Catherine; buried at Nun Monkton in 1768.

758. Elizabeth; buried at Newton-upon-Ouse in 1788.

759. Mary; baptized at Nun Monkton in 1760; married Thomas Wright of Richmond, in June, 1785, and was buried in Richmond, Co. York, in 1800.

Ambrose Beckwith, 746, baptized August 17th, 1713, at Poppleton; married Hannah Rhodes of Bradford.

760. Ann, or Nancy; baptized at Bradford in 1755; buried at St. Olives, Co. York; age 93.

William Beckwith, 744, lieutenant, 2d Dragoon Guards; baptized at Poppleton in 1717, and buried there in 1769; married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Hunt of Lyme Regis, Co. Norfolk.

761. William.

762. Ambrosia.

763. Elizabeth.

William Beckwith, 669.

764. William.

765. James.

William Beckwith, 764, merchant of York; free in 1530; chamberlain in 1540; sheriff in 1543; lord mayor in 1555; governor of the Merchants' Company in 1555; seized at his death of the site of the Priory of the Carmelites or White Friars, York; died July 31st, 1586; buried at the Church of St. Croix; married Alicia Rose, December 7th, 1548; she died August 16th, 1598; buried in the Church of St. Croix.

766. Leonard; sheriff, Co. York, 1587; died 1615.

767. Robert.

768. Christopher of St. John's; alderman of York.

769. Mary; second wife of Alderman Hall; sur-



vived him and was buried in St. Croix. December 14th, 1622.

Robert Beckwith, 767, of York, buried April 5th, 1586.

770. John; buried August, 1566.

771. Michael; buried 1568.

772. Edith; born 1567.

James Beckwith, 765.

773. Alice; married Wm. Wyville.

William Beckwith, 106, baptized at Featherstone, Yorkshire, England, in 1571; removed to London; merchant tailor. Emigrated to Virginia in 1607, with Captain John Smith, in the ship "Phœnix," landing at Jamestown in the Virginia Colony in 1607.

774. Henry.

775. A daughter.

Henry Beckwith, 774, born possibly in Virginia; received a land grant in Maryland, dated Oct. 5th, 1669, from Lord Baltimore, for "transporting himself from Virginia." He settled in Dorchester Co., Maryland; will made 1717; proven Oct. 27th, 1717.

776. Henry.

777. Nehemiah.

Henry Beckwith, 776, born in Dorchester Co., Md.; appeared in a suit against his brother in 1719; married Mary, who was born in Dorchester Co., Md.; her will was proven July 8th, 1758.

778. Nehemiah.

779. Charles.

780. Samuel; born in Dorchester Co., Md.; in-

herited Refuse Neck from his father; was living in 1770.

- 781. Mary; married Vickers, mentioned in will.
- 782. Elizabeth; married Taylor, mentioned in will.
- 783. Margarette; married Thomas Corp, mentioned in will.

Nehemiah Beckwith, 778, born in Dorchester Co., Md., about 1721; living 1758; mentioned in will of Mary Beckwith.

- 784. Jeremiah.
- 785. Henry.
- 786. Nehemiah.

Jeremiah Beckwith, 784, born Neck district in Dorchester Co., Md., about 1755; died there; married Catherine Wheatly, who was born and died near Cambridge, in Dorchester Co., Md.

- 787. Jeremiah.
- 788. Mary.
- 789. Hennie.
- 790. Wheatly.

Jeremiah Beckwith, 787, born Neck district in Dorchester Co., Md., and died there; married Charlotte Childerson, December 28th, 1819; born and died in Dorchester Co., Md.

- 791. Aurania; married J. E. Davis.
- 792. William B.
- 793. Henry White; unmarried in 1889.

William B. Beckwith, 798, born in Dorchester Co., Md., January 11th, 1831; farmer; living there in 1889;



married Annie E. Williams, April 9th, 1863; she was born February 22d, 1841.

794. Oscar C.; born February 2d, 1864.

795. Katie; born December 27th, 1865.

796. William F.; born October 7th, 1868.

797. Edward B.; born December 25th, 1870.

798. Lottie C.; born May 1st, 1873.

799. Maggie M.; born January 11th, 1876.

800. Roma; born October 16th, 1878.

Wheatly Beckwith, 790, born Vienna district, Md.; died Neck district, Dorchester Co., Md., in 1856.

801. Rev. Jeremiah H.; died unmarried, age 28;

802. Catherine; married Joe Simmons; he died; she was living in Cambridge, Md., in 1889, having several children.

803. Job W.

Job W. Beckwith, 803, born Cambridge district Md., November 19th, 1829; he resided at Airys, Md.; married Mary A. Wheeler, December 5th, 1850; she was born December 27th, 1830; he married a second time to Miss Mawbray; the following children were by his first wife:

804. Walter H.; living at Airys, Md., in 1889. 804a. Charles W.

805. Sadie W.; living at Airys, Md., in 1889.

806. William P.; born at Cambridge, Md., November 12th, 1856; in 1890 was principal of East New Market, Md., Academy; married Sallie W. Spedden, December

27th, 1882; she was born Dorchester Co., Md., August 31st, 1859; no children.

Nehemiah Beckwith, 777, died in Dorchester Co., Md., prior to 1770; married Frances; her will was made June 18th, 1734, and proved August 15th, 1734.

807. Dorothy.

808. Elizabeth; married Ennals; mentioned in her mother's will.

Henry Beckwith, 785, born in Dorchester Co., Md., about 1758; died there in 1842; married Miss Mitchell; had several children, but all died young; his second marriage was to Miss Taylor, by whom he had the following children:

- 810. Nehemiah; born in Md., and moved to Georgia.

Nehemiah Beckwith, 786, born in Dorchester Co., Md., in 1761; enlisted in the Revolutionary Army 1781; in the Maryland militia for four months' service, in Captain Stapleford's Co.; he again enlisted in 1782 for one year; married three times, and died in 1844; his third wife was Cornelia Mitchell, sister of his brother's wife.

- 811. Nehemiah.
- 812. John M.
- 813. ——; married Mr. Thompson.



Nehemiah Beckwith, 811, born in Dorchester Co., Md., 1791; died there in 1878; married Mary Wheeler in 1820; she died in 1867.

814. John M.

815. Rebecca; born in 1820; died in 1870; married J. L. Radcliff of Dorchester Co.

John M. Beckwith, 814, born in Dorchester Co., October 10th, 1821; county treasurer, member State Legislature, merchant; and was postmaster of Cornersville in 1889; married Henrietta Ennals Corners in 1851, of Dorchester Co.

- 816. Mollie; born 1852; married Rev. Wm. E. Evans of Richmond, Va., December 29th, 1873; was paster of a church at Richmond, Va., in 1889; they had three daughters and one son.
- 817. Nettie; married Dr. C. F. Newbill, in 1878, who was practicing medicine at Millenback, Va., in 1889; they have two children, daughters.
- 818. Samuel C.; born September 24th, 1854; married C. M. Corey, January 25th, 1882; living in New York city in 1889.
- 819. Robert; born in 1854.
- 820. J. Tripp; living in New York city, 1889.
- 821. Bunnie.
- 822. J. Ennals.

John M. Beckwith, 812, born in Dorchester Co., Md., 1801; died there in 1885; married Miss Kirby. 823. Thomas.

824. Sarah; died unmarried.

825. Nehemiah; born Dorchester Co., Md., married and had several children.

Thomas Beckwith, 823, born in Dorchester Co., Md.; married Miss Wheeler.

826. Jennie; married G. Slocum; living Dorchester Co., Md., in 1889.

Charles Beckwith, 779, mentioned in will of Mary Beckwith; he was living in 1756.

827. Lemuel.

Lemuel Beckwith, 827, born at Cornersville, Md., about 1745; died there.

828. William.

William Beckwith, 828, born at Cornersville Md., about 1767, and died there; married Jane Childerson, in 1808.

829. Mary E.; born in 1808.

830. Sarah Jane.

831. Susan.

332. William W.

833. George W.

834. James.

835. Margarette; born at Cornersville, Md., January 28th, 1813; married John Hubbard, December 4th, 1834; living in Dorchester Co., Md., in 1889; they had children: Susan; William; Mary, born September 22d, 1840; married Wherette, December 18th, 1859; living Dorchester Co., Md., 1889; Francis, and Margarette.

William W. Beckwith, 832, born in Dorchester Co., Md., April 22d, 1820; married his cousin Miss Travers, in June, 1846, and moved to Hannibal, Mo.; was living at Pony, Montana Territory, in 1889.

836. Thomas James; born February 2d, 1853;

living in 1889, at Pony, M. T.

837. Arthur John; born October 26th, 1861; living in 1889, at St. Louis, Mo.

838. William H.; born in Dorchester Co., Md., March 4th, 1857; ranchman; Pony, M. T., in 1889.

839. Kate; born September 10th, 1855; married October 4th, 1882, W. C. McGastle of Pony, M. T.; living there in 1889.

840. Mary M.; born Dorchester Co., Md., May 30th, 1850; married M. W. Medor, December 16th, 1877; and in 1889 was living at Pony.

Titus Beckwith, 573, farmer of Lyme, Conn.; married Lizzie Howard of Lyme; he died at Chelsea, N. Y., in 1802.

841. Wheeler.

842. Daniel.

843. Rufus.

Rufus Beckwith, 843, born at Chelsea, N. H., in 1764; soldier in the Continental Army in 1786, for nine months' service; he was living in 1861; married Thankful Sadie; she was born May 12th, 1765.

844. Martha; born January 12th, 1790; married Saulsbury; she was living in 1886; children:

Reuben, Alex., Henry, Roderick, Charles, Eliz., Russel, John, Hannah, Miriame.

845. Sammie; born 1791.

846. Josiah; born 1796; enlisted in the Revolutionary Army in 1814; participated in the battles of Plattsburg and Burlington, and was wounded at Plattsburg; married Martha Plaistiel in 1817.

847. Edward W.; born 1798.

848. Rufus, Jr.; born 1800.

Ruel Beckwith, 574, born Lyme, Conn., August 8th, 1742; by trade a mason; died December 11th, 1790; married Sarah Wood, December 9th, 1773.

849. Francis.

849a. Titus.

850. Ruel; born September 12th, 1778.

851. Nathan; born January 30th, 1781.

852. Betsy; born April 9th, 1790; died December 3d, 1790.

853. Sarah; born at Lyme, Conn., August 8th, 1787.

853a. Richard; born April 15th, 1780.

Titus Beckwith, 849a, born at Lyme, Conn., November 2d, 1776; farmer; died July 21st, 1854; married Lucy Chappel of Montville, February 11th, 1798; died March 13th, 1870.

854. Ruel.

855. William.

856. Betsy; born March 12th, 1802; died October 25th, 1848.

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- 857. Daniel; born March 31st, 1805; died December 31st, 1885.
- 858. Rebecca G.; born Lyme, June 1st, 1811; married J. M. Smith of East Lyme, November 26th, 1844; one child Louisa; they were living at East Lyme in 1889.

858a. Titus; born December 11th, 1806; died January 18th, 1864.

- 859. Sarah A.; born June 10th, 1813; died March 4th, 1886; married R. L. Chadwick of South Lyme, November 3d, 1840; one child, Sarah Ann.
- 859a. Lucy; born August 26th, 1808; died February 16th, 1817.

859b. Mercy; born November 5th, 1816; died September 13th, 1825.

Ruel Beckwith, 854, born Lyme, December 13th, 1800; farmer; died March 10th, 1870; married Julia A. Chappel, daughter of William Chappel of East Lyme, October 15th, 1822; died February 22d, 1883.

- 860. Lucy; born February 8th, 1827; married J. R. Spencer, October 16th, 1827, of East Lyme; children: Jennie, Emma and May Ella; they were all living at Norwich, Conn., in 1889.
- 861. Francis F.; born June 4th, 1829.
- 862. Marcus N.; born 1836; died 1881.
- 863. William C.; born May 21st, 1840; died July 28th, 1876; married Sophia Hollenbeck, at Athens, N. Y.; left no children.

William Beckwith, 855, born Lyme, November 26th, 1803; married Carolina Champion, 1831.

864. William W.; born 1832; died 1872.

865. Hiram; born July 29th, 1834.

866. Niles C.; born April 27th, 1838.

867. Esther A.; born May 11th, 1840; married J. Lamont, October 23d, 1872.

868. Rev. Osborn Thaddeus; born Lyme, October 18th, 1843; prof. Trinity College, Hartford, 1886.

Nathan Beckwith, 851, born Lyme, September 12th, 1778; removed to Oswego, N. Y., and died there; married Dalinda Appleton; she died at Oswego, N. Y.

869. Edgar.

869a. Appleton.

870. Betsy.

871. Dalinda.

872. Emily.

873. Thirsa.

874. Nathan R.

Nathan R. Beckwith, 874, born in the State of N. Y., 1800; married twice; his first wife was Phebey, who was born at Ontario, N. Y., 1806.

875. Appleton.

876. Augustus.

877. Addison.

878. Carolina.

879. Francis Jefferson.

Francis J. Beckwith, 879, born at Ontario, N. Y., in 1834; farmer; married Sarah Greenmeyer, at Steuben,

Ind.; born Ohio, 1841; he was living, in 1889, at Saticoy, Cal.

880. Caroline M.; born September 20th, 1861.

881. Charles F.; born January 12th, 1863.

882. Delbert F.; born January 21st, 1869.

883. Emma G.; born October 22d, 1875.

Amos Beckwith, 576, born April 17th, 1730; died December 6th, 1822; removed to Marlow, N. H., 1787, and afterward to Sutton, Vt.; Baptist minister; soldier Continental Army, Parsons Reg. Conn. Line; married Susan Truman; born New London, August 4th, 1760; died at Sutton, Vt., September 18th, 1839.

884. Abigail; born June 8th, 1781; died Au-

gust 22d, 1796.

- 885. Daniel; born October 15th, 1783; married 1809, Sylvia Newall of Burke, Vt.; she was born January 27th, 1790; died November 11th, 1867.
- 886. Truman.
- 887. Rebecca; born March 17th, 1786; married Rufus Newall, in 1805; died March 18th, 1812; they lived at Jay, Essex Co., N. Y.; he married secondly, Betsy, daughter of Ira Beckwith, and died February, 1859.
- 888. John.
- 889. Elizabeth; born March 21st, 1789; married Truman Newall, of Sutton, May 24th, 1824; died January 24th, 1843.
- 890. Sylvania; born December 26th, 1795; married 1825, Arad Ball of Newark, Vt.

Truman Beckwith, 886, born October 15th, 1783; married 1st, August 5th, 1814; Alice, daughter of Isaac Brown, born January 2d, 1790; died August 19th, 1837; married 2d, November 6th, 1838, Mrs. Abbey M. Cooke, daughter of George Hall, of Newport, born October 14th, 1808; died May 2d, 1873; merchant of Providence, R. I.; by last marriage no issue.

- 891. Susan; born June 13th, 1815; married January 9th, 1838; died February 5th, 1851; married Arthur S. Train of Framingham, Mass.; Baptist minister.
- 892. Amey Brown; born April, 1817; died June 23d, 1825.
- 893. Henry Truman; born December 22d, 1818; living Providence, R. I., in 1889.
- 894. Abbey Green; born October 4th, 1820; living in Providence, R. I., in 1889.
- 895. Amos Newall.
- 896. Isaac Brown; born 1825; died 1825.

Amos Newall Beckwith, 895, born December 4th, 1822; cotton manufacturer; married November 15th, 1848, Clara C. Lippitt, daughter of Warren Lippitt, of Providence, born May 5th, 1828; died June 15th, 1879.

- 897. Daniel; born September 13th, 1849; Brown Uni., 1870; librarian of Prov. Atheneum since 1879; living Prov. in 1889.
- 898. Alice D.; born June 13th, 1852; died September 18th, 1884; married Earnest L. Oppenheim of New York, late U. S. consul.

899. Robert Lippitt.

900. Truman.

901. Helen Stuart; born June 8th, died September 14th, 1861.

902. Warren Lippitt; born September 12th, 1867; living in Chicago in 1889.

Robert Lippitt Beckwith, 899, born October 14th, 1855; manufacturer of laces and yarns, at Scituate, R. I., in 1889; married Carrie, February 2d, 1887, daughter of Henry L. Joslin of Prov., R. I.

903. Amos; born August 22d, 1880.

904. Henry Truman; born March 26th, 1882.

905. William; born June 6th, 1884.

906. Alice Brown; born November 6th, 1885.

907. Daniel; born December 25th, 1888.

Truman Beckwith, 900, born August 24th, 1859; cotton manufacturer at Prov., 1889; married Harriet C., daughter of Henry L. Parsons of Prov., February 2d, 1887; born September 18th, 1860.

908. Truman; born October 10th, 1887.

John Beckwith, 888, born October 12th, 1789; died May 10th, 1874; lawyer at Sutton, Vt.; married Matilda Shaw, daughter of Jacob Shaw of Sutton; born April 12th, 1797; died March 7th, 1882.

909. Ladeska; born August 7th, 1821; living at Sutton, Vt.; married Rufus D. Wilson of Sutton; he died 1884.

910. Corydon.

911. Amos Beckwith; born at Sutton, Vt., October 4th, 1825; graduate West Point

Military Academy, in 1850; served in the Seminole war; during the Civil war as chief commissary at Washington; chief commissariat of the military division of the Mississippi; on staff of General Sherman in Atlanta campaign; after the war was chief Com. Department of the Gulf; brev. brig.-genl., U. S. A., March 13th, 1863; lt.-col. on general's staff, June 23d, 1874; commissary-general, and stationed in St. Louis, Mo., in 1889 (see Roll of Honor).

- 912. Laura Enos; born October 10th, 1827; married David Joy of Cambridge, Mass., July 5th, 1843; living there in 1889.
- 913. Daniel Newall.
- 914. Truman.
- 915. John; born June 15th, 1835; unmarried and living in St. Louis, Mo., in 1889; in the government service.
- 916. Henry Nehemiah; born 1838; died 1863.
- 917. Kate Susan; born October 10th, 1843.
- 918. Sarah Elizabeth; born April 20, 1840; living in Sutton, Vt., in 1889.

Hon. Corydon Beckwith, 910, born Caledonia Co., Vt., July 24, 1823; removed to Chicago, 1853; judge Illinois State Supreme Court, 1863; general solicitor C., A. & S. L. R. Co., in 1864; lawyer, Chicago, Ill., in 1889; past superior judge of Illinois (Court); married Mary Ann Smith of St. Albans, Vt., in 1849;

he died at Highlands, Ill., his country seat, August 18th, 1890.

- 919. Mary Ann; married Cutter; living in Cincinati, Ohio, in 1889.
- 920. Henry W.; U.S. consul at Bermuda in 1889.
- 921. John William; Yale University in 1889.

Daniel Newall Beckwith, 913, born June 10th, 1830; merchant and postmaster at Ludlow, Mass., in 1889; married Mandville Colby of Burks, Vt.

- 922. Mary Ellen; born October 17th, 1861.
- 923. Henry.
- 924. Alice.

Truman Beckwith, 914, born December 22d, 1832; formerly surveyor-general of Iowa; living at Comancha, Iowa, in 1889; married 1st, Salinda C. Angier; died July 2d, 1868; married 2d, Violla A. Finney of Comancha, Iowa.

- 925. Laura May; born December 29th, 1861; married John Tong; living at Pleasant Home, Neb., in 1889.
- 926. Henry Truman; born January 4th, 1864; living at Vail, Iowa, unmarried.
- 927. Fannie Augusta; born May 24th, 1872.
- 928. Charles Finney; born August 25th, 1876.

Ira Beckwith, 576, born 1760; settled in Ackworth in 1801; died January 7th, 1829; farmer; married Hannah Whelock, 1789, of Marlow; born 1761; died May 22d, 1850.

- 929. Jared.
- 930. Rebecca.

- 931. Stephen.
- 932. Philinda.
- 934. Betsy.
- 935. Polly; born June 19th, 1795; died at Iona, Mich., in 1885; married and had following children: Chloe, Mary, Lucy, Betsy, Elone, Royal, Henry.
- 936. Annie.
- 937. Daniel.
- 938. Eunice.
- 939. Abigail.

Amon Beckwith, 577, born 1762; removed to Marlow, N. H.; married Sarah Brown of Alstead, N. H., born 1763; died June 28th, 1837.

- 940. Amos.
- 941. Willard.
- 942. Rhoda.
- 943. Charles.

Charles Beckwith, 943, born Marlow, N. H.; removed to Fitchburg, N. H.; married Mindwell Alexander.

- 944. Alvah A.
- 945. Sarah L.
- 946. Charles L.

Alvah A. Beckwith, 944, born Fitchburg, N. H., July 4th, 1815; died November 17th, 1868; married 1st, Lucy Fairbanks, May 15th, 1841; married 2d, Sarah Goodrich, May 29th, 1855.

947. Francis A.; born Fitchburg, January 4th, 1868; living there in 1889.

947a. Charles; born November 30th, 1850; died January 25th, 1854, unmarried.

947b. Ellen; born September 27th, 1841; died July, 1851, unmarried.

947c. Maria; born January 25th, 1843; died November 5th, 1858, unmarried.

947d. Sarah; born April 16th, 1857; died September 22d, 1857, unmarried.

James Beckwith, 566, born Lyme, Ct., April 1st, 1725; died at Bristol, Conn., October 12th, 1764; married Lucy Griswold, April 10th, 1755, born Lyme, September 28th, 1729.

948. Thomas; born Lyme, Conn., 1755; removed to R. I.; to Exeter, Otsego Co., N. Y.; married Azubah Pinckney in 1786.

949. James.

950. Zachariah.

Zachariah Beckwith, 950, born at Bristol, Conn., February 14th, 1761; died there May 21st, 1811; married Eunice Gaylord, born October 18th, 1764; died at Bristol, 1846.

951. Anna.

952. Lucy; married James McKinney; children, Alice, married Ira Fish, Perry, Frank, Fred, Eva, Earnest.

953. Philander.

954. Eunice; married Rev. E. A. Atkins of Bristol.

955. Samuel G.; moved to Girard, Ala.

956. Sidney.

957. Dana.

958. Zachariah.

959. James.

960. Anson.

Dana Beckwith, 957, born Bristol, Conn., April 18th, 1793; died there July 31st, 1889; married Esther Ritchie, October 3d, 1817, born at Bristol, February 13th, 1798; died July 4th, 1888.

961. Mary C.; born 1820; died 1845.

962. George; born 1826; died 1826.

963. Lucy; born June 23d, 1827; living at Bristol in 1889.

964. Henry.

Henry Beckwith, 964, born July 28th, 1821; died November 28th, 1887; married Charlotte M. Skinner, July 14th, 1851.

965. Julia E.; born July 28th, 1872.

966. Mary C.; born June 27th, 1856; married Louis B. Brewster, October 9th, 1878; living at Bristol in 1889.

Zachariah Beckwith, 958, born Bristol, Conn., October 22d, 1795, resided in Monckton, Vt., until August, 1822, when he moved to Middlebury, Vt., and died there March 15th, 1862; married Julia Smith, November 26th, 1818, born Monckton, Vt., November 25th, 1799; died September 22d, 1886.

967. Julius A.; born February 10th, 1821; lawyer; died December 3d, 1857; married Abbey Wainwright, June 26th, 1847, born

- 1824; she was living in Middlebury, Vt., in 1889.
- 968. Julia A.; born February 9th, 1825; married W. S. Goodrich, November 18th, 1874; living at Middlebury, Vt., in 1889.
- 969. Buel Smith.

Buel Smith Beckwith, 969, born Middlebury, Vt., September 24th, 1834; merchant there in 1889; married Emma Wainwright, January 16th, 1867; born Boston, March 24th, 1843.

- 970. Robert; born Middlebury, 1879; died 1879.
- 971. William; born April 28th, 1881.

James Beckwith, 959, born November 9th, 1797; removed to Smithville, Tenn., in 1820; farmer; died 1859; married Rachel B. Roulston, March 3d, 1822; born Knoxville, Tenn., October 15th, 1804.

- 972. Zachariah; born Smithsville; died unmarried.
- 973. Dana; born 1832.
- 974. Sidney; born 1830.
- 975. Olivia; born 1838; died 1860; unmarried.
- 976. Harriette; born Carthage, Tenn.; married G. H. Kill.
- 977. George.
- 978. James.
- 979. Samuel Grant; born 1834; served in the War of the Rebellion in the 54th Reg. Tenn. Inf. C. S. A., 1861-4.
- 980. Anson Gaylord; born 1836; sergeant 23d Reg. Tenn. Inf., C. S. A., 1861; killed at battle of Chattanooga.

981. William Devereaux.

982. Irenus.

George Beckwith, 977, born Carthage, Tenn., February 11th, 1824; farmer; at Lebanon, Tenn., in 1889; married Fannie M. Winson, May 18th, 1835; born Vicksburg, Miss.

983. Carrie; died young.

984. James; died young.

985. Harriet; died young.

986. Andrew; died young.

987. Hugh; died young.

988. Rachel; born July 29th, 1874.

James Beckwith, 978, born December 6th, 1825; farmer; Smithville, Tenn., in 1889; married Matilda Whaley, March 25th, 1849; born Liberty, Tenn., October 18th, 1832.

- 989. James E.; born March 16th, 1851; married Cornelia Martin, December 23d, 1886; living at Smithville in 1889.
- 990. Lemuel M.; born February 10th, 1858; farmer; Smithville, Tenn., in 1889; married Sarah H. Keith, October 10th, 1888.
- 991. William G.; born December 8th, 1854.

992. Sidney H.; born May 21st, 1864.

993. Thomas D.; born May 18th, 1866.

994. Charles E.; born June 26th, 1878.

William Devereaux Beckwith, 981, born White Co., Tenn., May 30th, 1840; farmer; at Smithville, Tenn., in 1889; married twice; his first wife, Ellen B.

Rogers, September 6th, 1879, born Mt. Pleasant, Tenn., September 18th, 1855.

995. Jonathan R.; died young.

996. Mary I.; died young.

William Devereaux Beckwith, 981, his second wife, Laura Williams, married November 23d, 1884, born February 28th, 1854.

997. Berta; born August 21st, 1885.

998. Mary R.; born June 29th, 1886.

999. Thomas Fite; born December 16th, 1889.

Irenus Beckwith, 982, born February 19th, 1843; in 1889, living in Alexandria, Tenn.; farmer; his first wife, Bettie Brandon, married June 12th, 1871, born October 25th, 1843.

1000. James W.; born October 20th, 1871; clerk bank, of Alexandria, Tenn., in 1889.

Irenus Beckwith, 982, second wife, Sarah A. Barry, married April 15th, 1879, born Wilson Co., Tenn., October 27th, 1859.

1001. Henry W.; born April 17th, 1881.

1002. Mattie B.; born March 1st, 1885.

1003. Frank B.; born September 20th, 1882.

1004. Ellen; born July 19th, 1889.

1005. Benjamin McM.; born November 15th, 1886.

Samuel Beckwith, 578, born Norwich, Conn.; removed to Cornwallis, N. S., and settled at Halifax, N. S.; married Rebecca Chapman of Lyme, Conn.

1006. Marvin H.

Marvin H. Beckwith, 1006, born at Halifax, N. S., and died there; married Eunice Pinneo.

1007. George C.

1008. Rev. William; living in N. S. in 1889.

George C. Beckwith, 1007, born Halifax, N. S.; ranchman in Colorado in 1889; married Tamison Heath, born Boston, Mass.; grand-daughter of Richard Heath, general in the Revolutionary Army.

1009. Rev. Loring E.

1010. Elton F.; ranchman Ula, Colo., in 1889; married Elsie, and had daughter Vellma.

1011. Edwin F.; living at Ula, Colo., in 1889.

1012. Vellma; married S. A. Ford.

1013. Edella; married S. F. Edgar; living at Woodbridge, N. J., in 1889.

Rev. Loring E. Beckwith, 1009, born Maine, February 12th, 1845; living at Cambridge, Mass., in 1889; married Alice Houghton, April 28th, 1871, born Boston, Mass.; he graduated at Harvard College in 1864; Harvard Divinity School in 1870; settled as a Unitarian minister, at Denver, Colo., Augusta, Me., Milford, N. H.; for several years has devoted himself to lecturing on English literature.

1014. Theodora M.; born Cambridge, April 13th, 1880.

Marvin Beckwith, 579, born Conn., resided at Southington; moved to Cairo, Green Co., N. Y.; died at Southington, N. Y.

1015. Alva.

1016. Clark.

1017. James.

1018. Ira.

1019. Lorin.

1020. Dianna.

1021. Sarah.

1022. Sophia.

1023. Harriet.

1024. Andre; born 1803; living at Chester, Ohio, in 1889.

Alva Beckwith, 1015, born Cairo, N. Y., May 29th, 1787; died October 21st, 1835; married Maud Brush, October 21st, 1819, born N. Y., July 10th, 1800; he settled at Clarence Co., N. Y., and then moved to Monroe, Mich., where he bought out a tavern or stage house, which he carried on to his death, in 1835; his widow and children removed to Willoughby, Ohio, where she was still residing in 1889.

- 1025. Dianna; born Clarence, Mich., 1820; married and residing in Willoughby, 1889; her children: Alva C. Nutter; born 1844;
 Libbie; born 1840; married Astog; Ernest
 L.; born 1853; living in Willoughby, 1889.
- 1027. Elvina; born 1827; married; died 1857; left one child, Mrs. Orville Dean, living Cleveland, Ohio, in 1889.

1028. James.

1029. Marvin E.

Marvin E. Beckwith, 1029, born Clarence, N. Y., November 4th, 1823; photographer at Cleveland,



Ohio; died there December 13th, 1887; married M. McLeod; born Prescott, Canada, January 6th, 1819; daughter of General McLeod, the Canadian patriot.

1030. Hattie; born Ohio in 1847; married H. Roosa of Cleveland; living there in 1889; children: Frank E.; born 1875; died 1875; Effie B.; born 1877; Bessie M.; born 1880; died 1882.

1031. Alvira; married Ardville.

1032. Alva Donald

Alva Donald Beckwith, 1032, born Willoughby, Ohio, September 26th, 1849; photographer at Cleveland, Ohio, in 1889; married Jennie A. Mark, in March, 1875; born Cleveland, November 5th, 1853.

1033. Mark E.; born Cleveland, June 4th, 1877.

1034. Henry H.; born April 5th, 1884.

Handly Beckwith, 580, born in Conn.; died at Cornwallis, N. S.; married Catherine Newcomb, in 1782, born and died in Cornwallis.

1035. John.

1036. Joseph.

1037. James E.

1038. Lavinia.

1039. Mary.

1040. Handly.

1041. Daniel.

1042. Holmes.

1043. Mayhew.

Mayhew Beckwith, 1043, born Cornwallis, N. S., in 1798; died 1871; married Eunice Rand, March 21st,



- 1829, born N. S. 1808; he was a member of the Provincial Parliament for twenty years, from Hicks Co.
 - 1044. Ellen; married J. E. Masters, St. Johns, N. B.
 - 1045. Crassie; married H. Randle; living Lawrenceton, N. S., in 1889.
 - 1046. Mary; married V. Landy; living Digby, N. S., 1889.
 - 1047. Adelia; married Dr. Sheffield; living St. Johns, N. B., 1889.
 - 1048. Leliah; married Wentworth of Sheffield, N. S.
 - 1049. Edward M.
 - 1050. Burpee, M. D. Imperial Staff of the Court at Jamaica, W. I., in 1889; married and has children.
 - 1051. Robert Nelson.
 - 1052. John Albert.

Robert N. Beckwith, 1051, born Cornwallis, N. S., April 2d, 1834; married Annie Graves, September 23d, 1856; born Windsor, N. S., March 1st, 1832.

- 1053. Horace L.; born Halifax, September 22d, 1857; lawyer there in 1889.
- 1054. Mayhew; born January 3d, 1860; living North West Territory in 1890.
- 1055. Charles E.
- 1056. Robert B.; born November 5th, 1862; living at Boston, Mass., in 1889.
- 1057. Laura E.; born October 18th, 1875.

1058. Ernest S.; born July 4th, 1867; living at Halifax, N. S., 1890.

John A. Beckwith, 1052, born at Cornwallis, N. S., in 1830; farmer; living at Middleton, N. S., in 1889; married Rebecca Barnaby, June 10th, 1852, born April 12th, 1823.

- 1059. William S.; born March 30th, 1853; living Victoria, B. C., in 1890.
- 1060. Author; born October 25th, 1854; living Missoula Co., Montana, in 1890.
- 1061. John L.; born March 5th, 1856; living Victoria, B. C., 1890.
- 1062. Herbert; born November 27th, 1861; living Portland, Oregon, 1888.
- 1062½. Alfred; born August 7th, 1861; living at Portland, Oregon, 1888.
- 1063. Henry; born April 7th, 1864, at Portland, Oregon, 1888.
- 1064. Norman; born June 7th, 1860.

Nehemiah Beckwith, 582, born in Conn., drowned at Frederickston, N. S.; married Julia Le Brun, born Canada in 1790.

- 1665. Francis M.; married Greensward.
- 1066. Julie; married Hart.
- 1067. Sophie; married J. S. Marsh.
- 1068. Charles.
- 1069. Amelia.
- 1070. Hon. John A.

Hon. John A. Beckwith, 1070, born Frederickston,



N. S., December 18th; lawyer and member of Provincial Parliament; married A. C. Jonette.

1071. Julia A.; married J. K. Hazen.

1072. Amelia C.; living at St. Johns, N. B., in 1889.

1073. Thomas A.

Thomas A. Beckwith, 1073, born N. B., October 10th, 1829; merchant; married Charlotte Whitesides, September 21st, 1865; living at Oronocto, N. B., in 1889.

1074. Adolphus J.; born August 5th, 1860.

1075. Eliza; born September 25th, 1868.

1076. Gertrude M.; born April 4th, 1872.

1077. George Frederick; born February 11th, 1877.

1078. Robert; born June 6th, 1877.

1079. Fannie; born September 25th, 1880.

Samuel Beckwith, 584, born N. B.; died Buffalo, N. Y.; married Adalaide Le Brun, she was born in Canada in 1798; died at Albion, N. Y., December 1st, 1873.

1080. Elizabeth.

1080a. Francis X.

1081. Mary Ann.

1081a. George L.

1082. James F.

Francis X. Beckwith, 1080, born in Maine, March 29th, 1808; removed to Scottsville, Canada; died Gates, N. Y., in 1886; married Hannah Goodhue, born at Wheatland, N. Y.; when quite young he moved to Hen-



rietta, attended the academy, removed to Scottsville and entered the furniture business, was active in the "Patriot War of 1837," commanding an artillery company from Wheatland, which went to the front. He was appointed sheriff, and was jailer for many years. He was buried at Oatka cemetery, near Gate, N. Y.

, 1083. Adelaide.

1083a. Francis M.

1084. Mary E.; married H. H. Miller of Scottsville, N. Y.; living there in 1889.

1085. Florence; living at Rochester, N. Y., in 1889.

1086. William L.

William L. Beckwith, 1086, born Scottsville, N. Y., April 23d, 1835; farmer; U. S. Vol. Service 134th and 140th N. Y. Inf. 1861-5; was wounded and taken prisoner at the battle of the Wilderness, May 5th, 1864, was five months in rebel hospitals and prisons, returned to his regiment, and was present at the last campaign from Petersburg to Appomattox; living at Prescot, Iowa, in 1889; married Mary Kazebeer, October 8th, 1868, born Wapello Co., Iowa, March 29th, 1845.

1087. Anna H.; born Lucas Co., Ohio, March 10th, 1876.

George L. Beckwith, 1081a, born N. B., May 23d, 1800; removed to Vermont with his parents when nine years old; living in Henrietta, Monroe Co., N. Y., in 1889; married Sarah Winslow, August 9th, 1829, born at Dartmouth, Mass., July 7th, 1805. He was at



Buffalo and witnessed the entry of Com. Perry's fleet into that port after the battle of Lake Erie, and he piloted a boat-load of officers into the harbor. In 1815 he removed to Henrietta, then a part of Pittsford, teaching school in winter and working at farming in summer; before the opening of the Erie canal the farmers would send him to Montreal to sell their produce, returning on foot through an almost unbroken wilderness to his home in Henrietta. In 1826 he purchased fifty acres of land, the nucleus of his farm, where he died.

1088. Warren.

1089. Samuel; living at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, in 1889.

1090. Adolphus; U. S. Vol. Service, 8th N. Y. Cav., 1861-65.

1091. Everett; U. S. Vol. Service, 8th N. Y. Cav., 1861-65.

Warren Beckwith, 1088, born in W. Henrietta, N. Y., January 21, 1833; farmer at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, in 1889; captain 4th Iowa Cavalry, U. S. Vol. Service, 1861–65; married Lou Porter, April, 1863, born Trenton, Iowa, November 1st, 1841.

1092. Everett; born at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, February 1st, 1864.

1093. Orville; born February 17th, 1867.

1094. Emily; born August 8th, 1869.

1095. Florence; born April 16th, 1872.

1096. Warren W.; born August 10th, 1874.

1097. George L.; born Preston, Iowa, in 1888.

James F. Beckwith, 1082, born Vermont, July 22d, 1813; died at Albert, N. Y., May 31st, 1879; married Sarah Lawson, December 5th, 1836, born Poultney, Vt., October 13th, 1816.

1098. Charles; born Rush, N. Y., September 20th,
1839; died at Albans, N. Y., in 1888; U.
S. Vol. Service, 1861-65; 4th N. Y. Heavy
Artillery.

1099. James.

James Beckwith, 1099, born Scottsville, N. Y., March 2d, 1841; U. S. Vol., 1861-4, 4th N. Y. Heavy Artillery; was chief of the colored bureau war department for several years after the war; married Emily Martin, August 2d, 1866, born Pembroke, N. Y., November 18th, 1844; living Quincy, Ill., in 1889.

1100. Frank; born Quincy, Ill., November 8th, 1869.

1101. Emma; born May 19th, 1868.

Silas Beckwith, 592, born Lyme, Ct., 1746; moved to Watertown; to Elmira; to Albany, N. Y., where he kept a public house, but was driven off by the Tories for befriending Gov. Yates; he was an officer in the Revolutionary Army, enlisted 1776, three years service, was appointed captain by Gen. Yates in 1777; died at Vincennes, Indiana, October 13th, 1835, married three times, his first wife, Anna Reeves, born Conn., died Coventry, N. Y.

1102. Richard.

1103. Daniel.

1104. Henry.



Richard Beckwith, 1102, born Watertown, Conn., in 1776; when a young man moved to Newtown, now Elmira, Chemung Co., N. Y.; farmer and sheriff of Chenango Co., N. Y.; died at Elmira, N. Y., May 8th, 1836; married Sarah Holbert, died July 11, 1836.

1105. Albert Alonzo.

1106. Richard R.

1107. George.

1108. Sarah A.; born June, 1802; married David Griswold; she died January 22d, 1868.

1109. Dellia; married Gilbert Dean, and their only child Dellia married Dr. John Balls; living in 1889 at Breesport, Chemung Co., N. Y.

1110. May; died 1826.

1111. Clarissa; married E. Mather; one child May.

1112. Nancy; born March 30th, 1809; died September 19th, 1841; married John Carpenter in 1830; children: Eliza, born June 16th, 1832; married Alfred Strader in 1860; living Elmira, N. Y., in 1889; Mary, born December 9th, 1833; married A. Ostrander in 1855; Thomas, born May 16th, 1836; married La V. Whitcomb; Nancy, born May 28th, 1841; married Alonzo Whitcomb.

1113. Shelden.

1114. Elizabeth; born at Elmira.

1115. Julia A.

1116. Peter C.

1117. Timothy.

1117a. Zina Amanda; died unmarried.

1117b. David; born June 17th, 1846; died unmarried.

1117c. Mary; died unmarried.

Albert Alonzo Beckwith, 1105, born 1800; druggist, N. Y. city; removed to Ridgebury, N. Y.; to Horseheads, N. Y.; died at Elmira, N. Y., November 1st, 1843; married Hannah Griswold; she died at Horseheads, now North Elmira, N. Y., about 1843.

1118. George.

1119. Edwin Ruthvin.

1120. Townsend.

1121. Harriet; married William S. Carpenter of Big Flatts, N. Y.; their children: Jefferson B., Charles E., Clara E., married Samuel Minner; Susan L., married Willis Leonard; Harriet M.

1122. Minerva; married Louis Fitch, living Horseheads, N. Y.; their children: Albert B., married Linnie Rockwell; Townsend, Julia, Ellia C., married Henry Foy; Roa C., Anna M.

1123. Caroline; married Louis Fitch; child: Bertha C.

1124. Julia.

1125. Jefferson.

George Beckwith, 1118, living at Elmira, N. Y., in 1889; married Charlotte Palmer.

1126. Franklin P.

1127. Harriet L.

1128. Stella I.

Edwin Ruthvin Beckwith, 1119, born Southport, Chemung Co., N. Y., September 15th, 1822; removed to Ridgebury, Pa., 1847; died August 20th, 1877; married Julia P. Burt, February 5th, 1858; born Ridgebury, Pa., January 9th, 1832; she was living at Elmira, N. Y., in 1889; when he was eleven years old his father took him to dine with the postmaster of Ridgebury, Pa., Mr. John Burt, as the two elders were busy talking, young Edwin amused himself playing with a twoyear-old baby girl; he declared he had lost his heart; at the death of his parents he was only twenty-one; educated his brothers and sisters to fill responsible positions in life; he engaged in the lumbering business; and moved to N. Y., engaging in the wholesale drug business, and married the little girl to whom he had lost his heart when a boy; sold out, and buying a farm at Ridgebury, entered into fruit growing; was J. P. several years, and held other offices of public trust.

- 1129. Hannah E.; born Ridgebury, December 21st, 1860; living at Wheatly Hill in 1889.
- 1130. Julia G.; born Ridgebury, 1863; died 1863.
- 1131. Edwin B.; born Ridgebury, June 8th, 1870; druggist; living at Syracuse, N. Y., in 1889.
- 1132. James Webb; born Ridgebury, Pa., December 1st, 1865; graduate Philadelphia

College of Pharmacy, March, 1888; pharmacist, Syracuse, N. Y., in 1889.

Townsend A. Beckwith, 1120, living in Cuthbertson, Nebraska, in 1889; married Sarah Pratt.

1133. Albert A.

1134. Townsend C.

Jefferson T. Beckwith, 1125, married Helen Rutherford; he died and his widow was living in Rutherford, N. J., in 1889.

1135. Leroy W.

1136. Helen W.

1137. Clara A.

Richard Ransom Beckwith, 1106, born 1800; died December 2d, 1862; married; she was living at Smeethsport, McKena Co., Penn., in 1888.

1138. William.

1139. Amanda.

1140. Amanda.

1141. Abbey; married J. C. Huston; living Elmira, N. Y., in 1889.

1142. David; living at Mozierville, Penn., in 1889.

George Beckwith, 1107, born 1807; died May 3d, 1868; married Polly Brown.

1143. Albert Alonzo, born August 20th, 1842; living at Bradford, Penn., in 1889.

Shelden Beckwith, 1113, born February 28th, 1804; died December 29th, 1851; married Betsy McHenry, December 20th, 1821; born May 12th, 1801.

1144. Ruhamah; born September 15th, 1829;

died December 21st, 1885; married Wm. Green; he was living Redford, Wayne Co., Mich., in 1889; their children were: Author, born October 22d, 1860; Ida, born September 30th, 1862; married Elenor Lyons; Dexter, born January 7th, 1865; Clarence, born November 10th, 1866; Mattie, born April 27th, 1869.

1145. Martha; born July 29th, 1836; marriedG. Roberts, August 28th, 1865.

- 1146. Clarissa; born September 7th, 1841; married Edwin Sacket, December 28th, 1862; living in Redford, Mich., in 1888; their children were: Wilbur, born November 13th, 1863; Custer, born December 4th, 1864; Fred, born January 10th, 1867; Lina, born March 21st, 1869; John, born July 2d, 1870; Bertie, born May 30th, 1872; Josie, born November 10th, 1873; Milton, born May 17th, 1875; Ansel, born October 8th, 1876; Etta, born January 15th, 1880; Archie, born October 28th, 1882.
- 1147. James; born July 24th, 1831; died April 4th, 1847.
- 1148. Henry.
- 1149. Richard; born August 3d, 1834.

Henry Beckwith, 1148, born July 8th, 1831; married Josie, 1867; she died July 12th, 1872; married second wife, October 1st, 1884; he moved to Redford, Wayne Co., Mich.

1150. Minnie; born September 10th, 1868.

1151. Frederick; born November 29th, 1869.

1152. Lottie L.; born July 26th, 1884.

Peter C. Beckwith, 1116, born Elmira, N. Y., in 1824; died August 11th, 1877; married Betsy Powers.

1153. Charles A.; living at Ravenna, Cal., in 1889.

1154. Eliza.

1155. Ella.

Timothy Beckwith, 1117, born Elmira, February 27th, 1826; living at Bradford, Pa, in 1886; U. S. Vol. Service, 1861-64; owner of several oil wells and an extensive owner of oil shares; married Mary Rumsey, January 20th, 1867, born August 8th, 1840.

1156. Eugenia; born North Chemung, N. Y., October 5th, 1870.

1157. Clara; born Bradford, Pa., June 30th, 1880.

1158. Jessie; born Bradford, Pa., March 11th, 1872.

1159. Frederick; born March 14th, 1874.

Daniel Beckwith, 1103, born Watertown, Conn., 1770; moved, when a young man, to Newtown, now Elmira, N. Y., and settled on the south side of the Chemung river, now called Southport; was a farmer and died at Southport; married Ann Sly, born Pa.; they had three sons and six daughters.

1160. Henry Sly.

1162. Robert; married.

1163. John.

1163a. Abuna.

1163b. Louisa.

1163c. Elizabeth.

1163d. Sarah.

1163e. Mary Ann.

1163f. Lucy.

Henry Sly Beckwith, 1160, born Elmira, N. Y., June 17th, 1805; farmer; removed to Oregon, Ill.; living there 1889; married Patiance Deans, August 28th, 1828; born Westchester Co., N. Y., April 1st, 1810.

1164. Elizabeth Ann; born May 2d, 1829; married Geo. H. Beers, and was living in Elmira 1889.

1165. Francis B.; born August, 1832; married Baker.

1166. Emma G.; born April, 1848; married Gambol.

Robert Beckwith, 1162, born Elmira, N. Y.; died at Southport, N. Y.; his widow was living there in 1889; on the farm owned by her father-in-law, Silas Beckwith.

1167. Dan.; living at Southport in 1889.

1168. Seth; enlisted in U.S. Army during War of 1812, from Martinsburg, N.Y.; died 1851; married Elizabeth Battles, born 1787 at Martinsburg; she moved to Easton, Mich.

1169. Marion.

John Beckwith, 1162, born Southport; farmer; died there; his widow was living there in 1889.

1170. Guy.

1172. Ida.



1173. Judd.

Henry Beckwith, 1104, born Watertown, N. Y.; farmer; died at Elmira, N. Y., March 10th, 1850.

1174. Henry; living near Elmira in 1889.

1175. Elizabeth; married Buckbee of Elmira.

Silas Beckwith, 592, his second wife, Anna Smith, born Merford Co., N. Y.; died Chemung, N. Y., May 17th, 1857; aged ninety years.

1176. Samuel.

1177. Silas.

1178. Seth Smith.

1179. Anna Y.; born December 29th, 1783; died March 24th, 1883; married D. Hungerford, October 21st, 1802; born Watertown, Conn., 1780; moved to Coventry, N. Y., 1812; died there in 1860; their children were: Rachell, born 1805; married J. P. Goble; living Fulton city, Ill., 1889; Lavinia, married Joseph E. Snell, March 9th, 1835; died March 6th, 1849; Sally, born 1816; Annie, born 1826; married J. T. Barnum; living Minneapolis in 1889; Laura, born 1822; married R. P. Baird; living Butternuts, N. Y., in 1889; David, born 1824; married M. A. Castle; Chauncy H., married E. Shoals; Susan, married H. P. Judd; Maria, born 1803; living Coventry, N. Y., 1886; married M. Hatch 1840.

1180. Isaac.

Samuel Beckwith, 1176, born Watertown, N. Y., in 1800; removed to Painted Post, N. Y.; died at New Milford, in 1865; married in Elmira, N. Y.

1181. Seth S.; living in 1889.

Seth Smith Beckwith, 1181, was living at Canisteo, N. Y., in 1889.

1182. Anso M. Hall; living at New Milford, Pa., in 1889.

1183. Ann; married David Brown of Elmira; living there in 1889.

Silas Beckwith, 1177, born at Watertown, N. Y., in 1799; removed to Painted Post; died at Big Flats, N. Y., in 1867; he was married in Elmira.

1184. Richard H.

1185. Silas.

1186. Seth.

1187. Susannah; died young.

1188. Elizabeth; died young.

1189. Ann; married David Brown; living Elmira, N. Y., in 1889.

1190. Olive.

1191. Olinda.

1192. Mathias W.

Richard H. Beckwith, 1184, born Big Flats, N. Y., in 1820; died there in 1852; married Cornelia Judson; born Elmira; died 1884.

1193. Milton H.

Milton H. Beckwith, 1193, born Big Flats, October 27th, 1857; removed to Newark, Delaware;

prof. of Entomology and Pomology in Del. State Coll. at Newark, in 1889; married Eugenia Lossie; born Elmira; he is the author of numerous scientific works on Entomology and Pomology.

1194. Gertrude; born 1877.

1195. Winnifred; born 1884.

1196. Clara J.; born 1886.

Mathias W. Beckwith, 1192, born Chemung, Chemung Co., N. Y.; died there March 16th, 1888; married Esther P. Hensell.

1197. Charles H.

Charles H. Beckwith, 1197, born Chemung, N. Y., November 20th, 1844; married Mary Donahue, October 8th, 1865; born at Phila., Pa., January 17th, 1845.

1198. Charles F.; born Elmira, October 29th, 1866; living at New Brighton, Penn., in 1889; glass cutter and finisher.

1198a. Milton; living Elmira, N. Y., in 1888.

1198b. .Dan; living Elmira, N. Y., 1889.

Seth Smith Beckwith, 1178, born Watertown, N. Y., 1785; removed to Chenango Co., N. Y.; died Binghamton, N. Y., May 12th, 1865; married Hannah Yale, born 1738, at Chicago, Ill., September 18th, 1871.

1199. Charles H.

1200. Elizabeth.

1201. Sarah Evalina; born 1834; died September 12th, 1851.

1202. Augustus.

1203. Augusta.

1203a. Jane H.; born 1837; died November 30th, 1857.

1204. Hannah F.

1205. Seth S.; died young.

Charles H. Beckwith, 1199, born Chenango Co., N. Y., 1819; formerly merchant, dealer in real estate at Chicago, Ill., in 1889; married Mallissa M., daughter of Solomon W. Owen, a pensioner of the War of 1812, and Sallie Sherwood, of Greene, Chenango Co., N. Y., May 20th, 1841; born Guilford, N. Y., May 9th, 1821; died at Chicago, December 5th, 1886.

1206. Franklin Henry; born Albany, N. Y., April 8th, 1846; living Chicago, 1889; married N. L. Kerfoot, October 16th, 1872.

1207. Charles Le Roy; born Greene, N. Y., March 7th, 1848; farmer in Ill., in 1889; married Alice W. Denke, July 20th, 1875.

1208. J. Carrol; born Hannibal, Mo., September 23d, 1852; artist; living in N. Y. city in 1889; married Bertha Hall of N. Y. city, June 1, 1887; from 1873 to 1878 was a student under Carolus Duran, in Paris, France; also studied at the Government Art School there; exhibited in the Salon of '77; also in the Universal Exposition in '78; received honorable mention at the Salon, and was recipient of the medal at the Universal Exposition of 1889; returned to America in 1878, and took studio in New



York city; director, Society of American Artists; president, National Free Art League; professor, Art Schools, Cooper Institute, Metropolitan Museum, and Art Students League.

Isaac Beckwith, 1180, born Watertown, N. Y., in 1785; died Wake Co., N. C., May 20th, 1866.

1209. Green.

1210. Sion.

1211. Silas.

1212. Ira.

Silas Beckwith, 592, his third wife — Benjamen, who died at Vincennes, Indiana.

1213. Benjamin.

Benjamin Beckwith, 1213, born 1791; participated in the War of 1812 in Boatman's Co., was at battle of Lundy's Lane; removed to Cincinnati, Ohio; married Sally Gresham in 1815; died Elmira, N. Y.

1214. Dr. Beckwith; dentist at Sterling, Ill., in 1889.

Isaac Beckwith, 1180, by his second marriage.

1215. Needham.

Needham Beckwith, 1215, Wake Co., N. C., in 1822; living at Elm Grove, N. C., in 1889; married A. E. Atkins, in 1848; born Orange Co., N. C., in 1822.

1216. Eugenia.

1217. Council.

1218. Josiah.

1219. W. H. B.

1220. Wesley.

1221. John.

1222. J. Fabius, M. D.; born Chatham Co., N. C., in 1852; living at Plymouth, Pa., in 1889; married Bessie W. Payne, November 11th, 1887; born N. C., 1863.

Barzillai Beckwith, 589, born Lyme, Conn., 1736; farmer at Ellington, Conn.; deacon Congregational Ch.; removed to East Haddam, Conn., 1735; died there February, 1818; married Mary Butler; she died there.

1223. George.

1224. Rebecca; born East Haddam, December 22d, 1767; married E. P. Cone.

1225. Mary; born December 16th, 1769; died November, 1814.

1226. Sarah; born June 3d, 1774; married L. Griffen; children: Lillia, Emily and Mary.

1227. Elizabeth; born February 23d, 1777; married Allen Griffen; daughter Betsy married John Brockway, M. D., of N. Lyme, Ct.

1228. Barzillai.

1229. Rhoda; born February 4th, 1786; married Allen Griffen.

1230. Butler.

1231. Dr. Baruch.

1232. Nathaniel Brown.

1233. Jonathan.

George Beckwith, 1223, born East Haddam, February 6th, 1764; removed to Great Barrington in 1807.

1234. Penelope; married Sandford.



1235. Patience; married Ely.

1236. Maria; married Davis.

1237. Sarah.

1238. Emily.

1239. Eliza.

1240. Erastus.

1241. Allan.

1242. Julius.

1243. George; farmer at Gt. Barrington.

1244. Baruch.

Erastus Beckwith, 1240, born Wellington, Mass.; removed to Gt. Barrington; farmer.

1245. Daniel W.

1246. Maurice.

1247. Rev. Edward.

1248. George E.

1249. Martha M.; married E. Humphreys.

Daniel W. Beckwith, 1245, born Great Barrington; farmer; married twice; 1st, to W. H. Martin; 2d, to Annice Peck; living Great Barrington, Mass., in 1889.

1250. Alice.

1251. Noble.

1252. William.

1253. Edward.

Maurice Beckwith, 1246, born Gt. Barrington; died Sandwich Islands; planter; married Sarah Mosely in 1868.

1254. Nellie; married Damon.

1255. Julia; married Walsh.

1256. Maurice; born in Sandwich Islands.

Rev. Edward G. Beckwith, 1247, born Gt. Barrington; removed to Sandwich Islands; pastor Cong. Ch., San Francisco, 1887; married Caroline P. Armstrong, born Sandwich Islands; living there in 1889.

1257. Rev. Frank A.; died December 13th, 1885.1258. Carrie A.; born Sandwich Islands in 1865; living in San Francisco, Cal., in 1887.

George E. Beckwith, 1248, born Gt. Barrington; removed to the Sandwich Islands; planter; married H. Goodale of Marlboro, Mass.

1259. Mary E.

1260. Martie.

Baruch Beckwith, 1244, born Gt. Barrington; Baptist minister; removed to Gouverneur, N. Y.

1261. Julius.

1262. Henry B.; born Gouverneur, N. Y.; removed to Chateaugay, N. Y.; living there in 1880.

Barzillai Beckwith, 1228, born East Haddam, Conn., November 19th, 1765; farmer; died there March 10th, 1812; married Silvia Griffen, born E. Haddam, October 12th, 1764; died June 14th, 1840.

1263. Norman.

1264. Frederick.

1265. Elizabeth; married M. S. Sill of Windsor.

1266. Emeline; living at E. Haddam in 1889; blind and unmarried.

1267. Edmund G.; born E. Haddam, 1796; removed to Sommers, Conn.; died there 1841.



- 1268. George Beckwith; born E. Haddam, 1799; died Molina, N. Y., in 1850.
- 1269. Barzillai.

Norman Beckwith, 1263, born E. Haddam, April 8th, 1793; carpenter; removed to Hartford, Conn.; married Francis Clark, November 3d, 1817; died November 16th, 1857.

- 1270. Julia E.; born September 2d, 1818; married E. G. Strand.
- 1271. Harriet S.; born April 3d, 1820; married C. Lee.
- 1272. Franklin R.; born August 21st, 1822; married M. A. Munsell, November, 1842.
- 1273. Henry J.; born August 24th, 1824.
- 1274. Norman C.; born January 20th, 1834; living at Hartford, Conn., 1858.

Frederick Beckwith, 1264, born E. Haddam, 1794; cloth dresser; married his 4th cousin, Jerusha Sill, October, 1817; born June 18th, 1794; he died 1825; she moved to Cleveland, Ohio, 1858.

- 1275. William E.
- 1276. Thomas S.
- 1277. Cornelia; born Lyme, 1822; married E. Sacket.
- 1278. George G.; born Glens Falls, N. Y., 1824; died 1825.
- 1279. Marie S.; born 1826; married.
- William E. Beckwith, 1275, born Lyme, Conn., Jan-



uary 9th, 1819; married Sarah Doe in 1849; removed to Cleveland, Ohio.

1280. Frederick A.; born Cleveland, December, 1850; living there in 1889.

Thomas S. Beckwith, 1276, born Lyme, January 11th, 1821; merchant, Cleveland, Ohio, in 1889; married Sarah Oliphant.

1281. Mary C.; born Cleveland, 1849; died 1849.

Barzillai Beckwith, 1269, M. D., born East Haddam, 1797; settled in Monmouth, Ill., in 1846, where he resided until 1879, when he died of heart disease; married C. M. Amsden in 1831, at Saybrook, Ashtabula Co., Ohio, about 1821; she was living in Chicago, Ill., in 1889.

1282. Livia A.; married A. B. Scenter, in 1867.

1283. Mary E.; living at Chicago, Ill., in 1889.

1284. Emma; married S. M. Muck; one child, Ella.

1285. Henry C.

Henry C. Beckwith, 1285, born Saybrook, Ohio, graduate Monmouth College in 1844; U. S. Vol. Service in 1861-65; removed to Clarinda, Iowa; living there 1889; married Alice P. Bowers in 1869; born Monmouth.

1286. Jennie A.

1287. Jessie; born 1872.

1288. Alice A.; born 1878.

1289. Barzillai; born 1881.



Butler Beckwith, 1230, born E. Haddam, February, 1772; married Hannah Cone of E. Haddam.

1290. Rev. George Cone, D. D., graduated at Middlebury College, Vt., and at Andover Theological Seminary, was pastor several years of Congregational Church at Lowell, Mass., but was most of his public life Secretary of the Am. Peace Society of Boston, Mass.

Dr. Baruch Beckwith, 1231; M. D.; born E. Haddam, September 6th, 1779; removed to Beckmantown, N. Y.; died there; married Lucy Mather, niece of Cotton Mather, born Lyme, Conn., November 11th, 1777; died Beckmantown, February 28th, 1833.

1291. George M.

1292. Baruch.

1293. Samuel B. M.

1293a. Lucy M.; born November 23d, 1811; married Rev. Justin Taylor, October 10th, 1827; he died in 1887; she was living at Forest, Wis., 1889; children: Mary, Lucy, Hattie, Nellie, Martha.

1293b. Mary A.; married Aug. Smith of Lyme, Conn.; she died in Ill.

1293c. Louisa W.; born June 14th, 1819; died November 6th, 1835.

1293d. Betsy; born July 13th, 1817; living at Whitehall, N. Y., in 1889; married Nathan J. Judson, January 10th, 1839; he died November 14th, 1887; children: Harriet L., born November 20th, 1843; mar-

ried Hon. D. F. Dobie; Henry C., born October 4th, 1848; living Whitehall, 1889; Frederick B., born July 21st, 1854; living Whitehall, 1889.

George Mather Beckwith, 1291, born Lyme, Ct., January 27th, 1805; lawyer, county judge of Clinton Co., N. Y.; died Plattsburg, N. Y., June 24th, 1883; married Hannah Eliza Moores, February 28th, 1833, daughter of General Moores of Plattsburg.

1294. George H.

1295. Benjaman.

- 1296. Maggie L.; married J. Hubel, September 16th, 1856; living at Chazy, N. Y., in 1889; children: Amos M., born December 5th, 1857; married Cl. Jones; Elizabeth, born August 31st, 1859; Nelson W. Fiske; Mary C., born May 28th, 1861; married J. W. North; Julius C., born June 5th, 1863; George L., born October 18th, 1865; Margarette S., born July 18th, 1868; Mattie F., born March 11th, 1871; Lillie S., born September 17th, 1873; John S., born February 1st, 1875; Jennie C., born December 25th, 1877; Richard W., born May 30th, 1880; all the above were living in Chazy, N. Y., in 1889.
- 1297. Lucy M.; married M. Sowles of St. Albans,
 N. Y.; living Plattsburg in 1889; children:
 Margarette B., born April 29th, 1869; died
 October 23d, 1872; Mary G., born April



5th, 1873; died March 16th, 1876; Elizabeth B., born October 27th, 1887.

George H. Beckwith, 1294, born Plattsburg, N. Y.; lawyer; married E. Villas of Plattsburg; living there in 1889.

1298. Harriet V.

1299. Grace.

1300. Mary.

1301. Vilas.

Benjamin M. Beckwith, 1295, born Plattsburg, August 24th, 1836; lawyer; enlisted in the U. S. Vol. Service 1861-64; died at Plattsburg, January 27th, 1887; married Lodie Mitchell, December 21st, 1858; she moved to Milwaukee, Wis., where she was living in 1889.

- 1302. Sophia C.; born Greenbay, Wis., December7th, 1859; married H. Newton in 1887;living Plattsburg, N. Y., in 1889.
- 1303. Elizabeth; born August 22d, 1862; died March 19th, 1879.
- 1304. Harriette; born January 17th, 1869.
- 1305. Maria L.; born September 26th, 1874; living Milwaukee in 1889.
- 1306. George M.; born 1861; died 1865.
- 1307. William M.; born January 15th, 1867; living at Milwaukee in 1889.
- 1308. Henry M.; born June 15th, 1867; living at Milwaukee in 1889.
- Baruch Beckwith, 1292, born at Hartford, Conn.,



April, 1809; farmer; married Clarissa, widow of Enos P. Beckwith, at Plattsburg, N. Y., August 4, 1836.

1309. Allen G.

1310. William H.

1311. Helen; born June 21st, 1845; married J. Higgins, October 22d, 1872; living Ellenburgh, N. Y., 1886; children: George B., born Ellenburgh, December 12th, 1874; died July 30th, 1878; Chas. L., born Ellenburgh, September 12th, 1877; Lottie L., born June 22d, 1880.

Allan G. Beckwith, 1309, born Beekmantown, Vt., June 1st, 1837; book-keeper at Burlington, Vt., in 1889; married Mary Hoffnagel, December 2d, 1858, of Essex, N. Y.

1312. Frederick A.; born March 2d, 1865; living at Burlington, Vt., in 1889.

1313. Bertie C.; born January 16th, 1876.

William H. Beckwith, 1310, born September 17th, 1842; married Julia E. Whitney, November 15th, 1866, born Whitehall, N. Y.; living Keeseville, N. Y., 1889.

- 1314. Milton E.; born July 1st, 1870; living Keeseville, N. Y., in 1889.
- 1315. Minnie E.; born November 4th, 1874; living Keeseville, N. Y., in 1889.
- 1316. Charles S.; born May 4th, 1882; living Keeseville, N. Y., in 1889.
- 1317. Maud S.; born August 17th, 1884; living Keeseville, N. Y., in 1889.

1318. William H.; born March 21st, 1886; living Keeseville, N. Y., in 1889.

Samuel B. M. Beckwith, 1293, born Beekmantown, April 16th, 1814; lawyer; removed to Chateaugay, N. Y.; married Mary, daughter of Daniel Beckwith of Morrisonville, N. Y., May 26th, 1842; she died July 19th, 1872; he married 2d wife, Helen; living at Chateaugay, N. Y., February 14th, 1874; by the second marriage he had no children.

- 1319. Mary H.; born January 24th, 1843; living at Lisle, N. Y., 1889.
- 1320. Emma E.; born January 13th, 1845; married H. Upson; living Winslow, Arizona, in 1889; one child: Mary B.; married Chas. Daly.
- 1321. Walter S.; born December 17th, 1850; married Josie Dixon; living Lowell, Mass., in 1888.
- 1322. Rev. Edgar 2.; born August 16th, 1856; living N. Y. city 1889.
- 1323. Charles S.; born January 25th, 1862; married Eliza L. Leach of Wilksbarre, March 4th, 1888; living Allentown, Pa., in 1888.
- 1324. Dr. George M.
- Dr. George M. Beckwith, 1324, M. D., born Plattsburg, N. Y., September 10th, 1853; living at Lisle, N. Y., 1889; married Carrie Kitchell, October 1st, 1877; died December 21st, 1887.
 - 1325. Mary Winnifred; born Ithaca, May 2d, 1879; living Lisle, N. Y., 1889.



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- 1326. Bessie E.; born January 18th, 1881; living Lisle, N. Y., 1889.
- 1327. Harriette G.; born December 14th, 1882; living Lisle, N. Y., 1889.

Nathaniel Brown Beckwith, 1232, born E. Haddam, September 25th, 1781; married Betsy Lord, born E. Haddam, Conn.

- 1328. Nathaniel L.
- 1329. Barzillai.
- 1330. Rhoda; married W. E. Cone of E. Haddam.
- 1331. Gilbert.

Gilbert Beckwith, 1331, living at Libertyville, Lake Co., Ill., in 1889.

1332. Charles F.; living at Libertyville in 1889.

Jonathan Beckwith, 1233, born E. Haddam, September 21st, 1783; died January 22d, 1857; married Nancy Lord.

- 1333. Nancy D.; born August 14th, 1814.
- 1334. Mary H.; born April 29th, 1818; living at Ledyard, Conn., 1889.
- 1335. Jonathan.
- 1336. Rev. George A.; born July 6th, 1829; graduated at Amherst College in 1857; at Andover Theological Seminary in 1860; married Eliza C., daughter of Rev. Levi Bingham, of Langus, Mass., October 11th, 1861; was ordained pastor of 1st Congregational church of Manhattan, Kan., in



1862; dismissed 1867; acting pastor of Congregational church at Olathe, Kan., three years; at Neodester and Altoona three years; health failing he returned east in 1874; was pastor at Franconea, Warner, Hawsville, Alstead and Aldear Center, all in N. H., and at present is acting pastor of Congregational church of Windham, Vt.; no children.

1337. Henry E.; born July 6th, 1831; married Sarah Norcross of Monmouth, Ill.; she died in 1864; he then married Louisa Markle, at Manhattan, July 4th, 1866; living there in 1889.

Deacon Barak Beckwith, 657, born Lyme, Conn., November 3d, 1780; removed to Cazenovia, N. Y.; lawyer; judge county court; died April 12th, 1844; married Mary Kennedy, January 12th, 1804; born 1784; died October 13th, 1854.

- 1338. Dr. Addison K.
- 1339. Nelson M.
- 1340. George D.; born March 29th, 1809; died Macon, Ga.
- 1341. Roswell R.; born 1815; died 1861, at N. Y.
- 1342. Mary Jane; born February 24th, 1820.
- 1343. Catherine E.; born 1822; died 1840.
- 1344. William; born 1827; died 1870, at Franklin, Pa.
- 1345. Edward Griffen.



Addison K. Beckwith, 1338, born March 22d, 1805; M. D.; died at Palermo, N. Y., January 28th, 1856; married Amelia Kiss of Winans, 1831; she died February 10th, 1885.

1346. Thelestres A.

1347. James A.

1348. Alcestes M.

1349. Barak D.

1350. Catherine E.

1351. George.

1352. Adelaïde.

Nelson M. Beckwith, 1339, born May 2d, 1807; died N. Y. city 1888; married M. Forbes, in 1842; she died May 7th, 1885.

1353. Leonard F.; living at Garrisons, N. Y., 1889.

1354. Adelaïde; died N. Y., 1871.

1355. Arthur; living N. Y. city 1889.

1356. Helene; born 1847; living N. Y. city; married November 3d, 1890, at London, England, to Frank Dudley Leigh, eldest son of Lord Leigh, of Leighstone Abbey, England.

General Edward Griffen Beckwith, 1345, born Cazenovia, N. Y., June 25th, 1818; died Clifton, N. Y., June 22d, 1881; graduated at West Point Military Academy in 1842; participating in the Mexican War; at the battles of Tampico and Vera Cruz; was detailed on the Pacific R. R. Reconnoissance in 1853-4; his scientific reports of that expedition were published by the government; during the War of the Rebellion he

served as chief commissary in the 5th army corps; commanded the defenses of New Orleans 1863-4; major U. S. A. February 8th, 1864; brvt. brig.-genl. U. S. A., March 16th, 1865; after the war was employed in the Bureau of Subsistence; (see Roll of Honor); married Cornelia Williamson of Savannah, Ga.; she was living in Washington, D. C., in 1889.

1357. Madeline; graduate Washington College of Elocution 1888; living at Washington, D. C., 1889.

1358. Nelly; married C. E. Fox, U. S. N.

Hezekiah Beckwith, 627, born Lyme, Conn., 1704; died March 12th, 1791; married Lydia Gilbert, born 1707, Lyme, Conn.; died March 13th, 1794.

1359. Elisha; born Lyme, October 12th, 1738; removed to New London, Conn.

1360. Sylvanus.

1361. Nathan; born Lyme, Conn., in 1747.

1362. Ann; married F. Brown, a soldier in the Continental Army.

Sylvanus Beckwith, 1360, born Lyme, May 22d, 1742; carpenter; removed to Standford; died May 30th, 1839; he, as well as his wife's family, were firm supporters of the cause of the colonies, and bore their parts in the struggle, not only by giving their services in the field, but also by the ready offering of their means; married Amy Sutherland; born 1742; died October 21st, 1817; her family were originally from Scotland, and were allied to the Douglass family of



that ilk, and the Sutherlands still bear for their coat of arms the "wild cat."

1363. Nathan.

1364. Israel; born 1796; died May 4th, 1823.

Nathan Beckwith, 1363, born Standford, September 13th. 1778: placed at the famous Kinderhook Academy, was a school-mate of Martin Van Buren, and graduated as a civil engineer, and with Prof. Joseph Henry, selected and surveyed the route of Erie R. R., and no contemporaneous engineer of the state enjoyed a higher reputation; in the War of 1812 he commanded a battalion of cavalry; in 1824 upon the visit of General Lafayette to N. Y., was marshal of the day at Clermont: he was a Democrat of the Jeffersonian school; the family record states he was a lieutenant in the War of 1812, and was afterward commissioned as colonel of cavalry by Gov. Tompkins; married twice; died at Red Hook, N. Y., March 4th, 1865; married 1st, Betsy Gale, December 22d, 1802; born April 14th, 1781; died March 22d, 1838.

1365. Dr. Josiah Gale.

1366. Amy; born June 7th, 1809; died January 1st, 1824.

1367. Edward; born February 19th, 1812; died June 11th, 1821.

1368. Lewis C.

1369. Eliza A.; born at Red Hook, October 3d, 1809; died August 5th, 1843; married 1st, Edwin Knickerbocker, February 26th, 1835; her children by the first marriage

were: Edwin, born 1808; died 1875; Edward B., born December 13th, 1836; died March, 1854; Mary E., born February 7th, 1837; married 2d, Dr. T. E. Lossee of Upper Red Hook, N. Y.; by her second marriage they had: Dr. John E. of Upper Red Hook, in 1889; Edward, Harvey.

- 1370. Clarinda L.; born Red Hook, June 7th, 1816; died August 2d, 1864; married W. Capron, November 18th, 1849; he moved to Pontiac, Mich.; U. S. Vol. Service 1861-65; he died in 1881, from the effects of a bullet wound received at the battle of Fair Oaks; their children were: Nathan, born September 29th, 1841; Ellen, born September 2d, 1843; Mary, born September 3d, 1845; Amy, born April 26th, 1848; Lucy, born March 23d, 1850; Edward, born June, 1852; Carrie, born September 5th, 1857.
- 1371. Annie S.; born October 22d, 1824; married G. H. Clapp, September 9th, 1845; removed to Phila., Pa.; he died October 11th, 1877; their children were: Emma, born April 20th, 1849; Edward B., born June 16th, 1854; living Phila., Pa., 1889.
- 1372. George W.
- 1373. William S.

Dr. Josiah Gale Beckwith, 1365, M. D., born Sep.

tember 4th, 1803, at Standford, N. Y.; graduated at Union College; studied medicine in Solsbury, Conn., and settled in Litchfield, Conn., in 1829; died there March 21st, 1871; he was a successful practitioner; officer of the State Medical Society; nominated for governor; and was elected to the State Legislature several times; married Jane M. Seymore, February 1st, 1831; she was daughter of Moses Seymore of Litchfield; and a niece of Governor Horatio Seymore of N. Y.

1374. Jona S.; born June 15th, 1833; died January 28th, 1837.

1374a. Elizabeth G.; born January 19th, 1835; living Litchfield, Conn., in 1889.

1375. Sarah H.; born April 20th, 1840; living at Litchfield, Conn., in 1889; unmarried.

1376. Dr. Josiah G.

1377. Dr. George S.

Dr. Josiah Gale Beckwith, 1376, M. D., born at Litchfield, Conn., January 14th, 1838; living there in 1889; married Anne Alsop, January 16th, 1873, of Quebec, Canada.

1378. Josiah Gale; born August 13th, 1874.

1379. Bonney.

1380. Baby.

Dr. George S. Beckwith, 1377, M. D., born Litchfield, May 27th, 1842; resided at Pine Plains, N. Y.; died there December 20th, 1890; married Isabel Cohen, October 7th, 1873. of Charleston, S. C.

1381. Jane Seymour.

1382. George S.

1383. Sarah S.

1384. Belle S.

1385. Catherine S.

Lewis Curtis Beckwith, 1368, born Red Hook, N. Y., June 23d, 1807; died at Matteawan, N. Y., April 10th, 1871; married Ameline Capron, January 6th, 1830; daughter of Judge Giles Capron of Upper Red Hook, N. Y.

1386. Giles E. C.

1387. Ellen Elizabeth; born Troy, N. Y., August 26th, 1833; married J. Bently, November 7th, 1872, of Newark, N. J.; living there in 1889; one child, Ellen Capron.

1388. Sarah Kinney; born July 24th, 1835; living at Matteawan, N. Y., in 1889; unmarried.

1389. Emily Savage; born March 6th, 1835; died 1881, unmarried.

1390. John C.; born March 4th, 1842; died 1888, unmarried.

1391. Isaac Bevan.

Giles Edward Capron Beckwith, 1386, born Troy, N. Y., May 23d, 1781; married Helen van Steenburg; removed to Catskill, N. Y.; living there in 1889.

1392. Frocene; married D. Bralley; living at Sing Sing, N. Y., in 1889.

1393. Josephine; born Catskill; living there in 1889.

Isaac Bevan Beckwith, 1391, born December 22d,

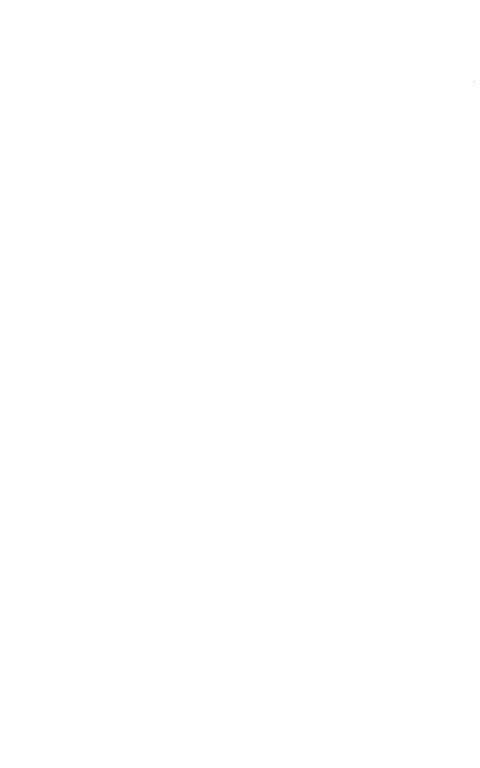
1844; married twice; his first wife was Frances A. Welch, who died March 20th, 1882; his second wife was Sara E. Hooper; living at Syracuse, N. Y., 1889.

1394. Wallace W.; born at Frankfort, N. Y., February 14th, 1887.

1395. Warren Bevan; born at Frankfort, N. Y., January 27th, 1889.

George W. Beckwith, 1372, born Red Hook, N. Y., June 8th, 1814; died Standford, April 9th, 1881; married Abbey E. Thompson, January 17th, 1843; she was living at Stissing, N. Y., 1889.

- 1396. Elizabeth R.; born December 19th, 1844; graduate of Vassar College; prof. of Greek at Normal College, N. Y. city, in 1889.
- 1397. Emma; born March 16th, 1847.
- 1398. Mary G.; born Standford, N. Y., July 25th, 1849; living N. Y. city in 1889.
- 1399. Clarinda L.; born at Standford; married H. Austin; living at Hiawatha, Kans., 1889.
- 1400. Sarah C.; born July 3d, 1851; died 1862.
- 1401. Clara; born June 11th, 1853; married Homer E. Austin, February 22d, 1883; they had Grace B., born July 24th, 1884; Willie B., born August 19th, 1887.
- 1402. Asa; born March 24th, 1864; living Standford, N. Y., 1889; unmarried.
- 1403. Edward.
- 1404. Nathan E.; born March 7th, 1870; living at Standford, N. Y., 1889; unmarried.
- Edward Beckwith, 1403, born Standford, N. Y., Jan-



uary 14th, 1859; living Hiawatha, Kans., 1889; married Noamie E. McGuilkin, January 21st, 1882.

1405. Abbie E.; born March 26th, 1883.

1406. Annie C.; born March, 1886.

1407. George G.; born March 24th, 1889.

William S. Beckwith, 1373, born Red Hook, January 14th, 1820; farmer; married Ann M. Collyer, March 29th, 1848; born February 8th, 1826; living Red Hook, Dutchess Co., N. Y., 1889.

- 1408. Alice M.; born August 10th, 1852.
- 1409. Thomas C.; born November 1st, 1853.
- 1410. George; born 1855; died 1875, at Pella, Iowa.
- 1411. Annie G.; born March 14th, 1857; married Armond DePotter, October, 1878; living in France 1889; he was a colonel in the French Army, now a tourist manager to parties traveling in Europe.
- 1412. Leilla H.; born January 17, 1860; married A. Bretton Havens; lawyer, January 27th, 1887; living N. Y. city 1889.
- 1413. Willie S.; born October 11th, 1861; removed to Denver, Colo.; living Salt Lake City 1889; married Belle Colon of Michigan, September 9th.
- 1414. Charles G.; born January 6th, 1864; died 1865.
- Nathan Beckwith, 1363, by his second wife, Margarette Pratt Pelton; born Dalton, Mass.,

January 15th, 1807; died January 14th, 1857.

1415. Nathan E.

1416. Eliza Ann.; born September 8th, 1845;
married George Ogden, Sr., of Phila., Pa.,
June 30th, 1880; living at Bridgeton, N.
J., 1889.

Nathan E. Beckwith, 1415, born Red Hook, N. Y., April 4th, 1848; living at Los Gates, Cal., 1889; civil engineer; married Alice Black, September 19th, 1878; born July 25th, 1854.

1417. Theodore K.; born July 6th, 1879.

1417a. Ralph Ed.; born September 30th, 1880.

1418. Adelaïde; born April 25th, 1882.

1419. Ruth L.; born December 15th, 1883.

1420. Charles Z.; born December 19th, 1886.

John Beckwith, 553, born Waterford, Conn., 1703; died at Lyme, Conn., 1768; married Elizabeth Dart, November 8th, 1744, born East Haddam, August 30th, 1716, and died at Lyme.

1421. John.

1422. Watrus.

John Beckwith, 1421, born at Lyme, Conn., October 19th, 1754; died Poughkeepsie, N. Y., September 12th, 1834; served in the Continental Army; married Chloe Bosworth, January 27th, 1730; born Washington, Conn., November 5th, 1759; died Poughkeepsie, October 9th, 1834.

1423. John.

1424. Watrus.

1425. Nathanial Beckwith; born at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., December 13th, 1781; removed to N. C., in 1834, and died at Plymouth, November, 1840; unmarried.

John Beckwith, 1423, born Poughkeepsie, July 31st, 1785; M. D.; served in War of 1812; removed to New Berne in 1808, and Raleigh, and thence to Newton, N. C.; to Petersburgh, Va.; died N. Y., 1870; married Margarette Stanley.

1426. T. Stanley.

1427. John Watrus.

1428. Catherine; married H. F. Spaulding; living at Riverdale, N. Y., 1889.

1429. Nancy E.; living at Riverdale, 1889.

1430. Cordelia; living at Riverdale, 1889.

T. Stanley Beckwith, 1426, born Raleigh, N. C., 1814; M. D.; died at Petersburg, Va., in 1884; married Agnus; daughter of Edmund Ruffin, Sr., of Virginia.

1431. Julian R.; C. S. Army; killed at battle of Seven Pines, June 1st, 1862.

1432. Margarette.

1433. Kate D.

1434. Matilda E.

1435. Thomas S.

1436. Edmund R.

1437. John.

1438. Susan; married R. Gillam of Petersburgh, Va.

1439. Agnus; married J. R. Cary of Gloucester, 21

Va.; their children are: Bettie, Willis, Stanley B., Sue B., Agnus R., John R.

1440. Charles M.

Thomas S. Beckwith, 1435, married Eunice; daughter of S. B. Cary of Gloucester, Va.

1441. Samuel C.

1442. Anna F.

1443. Julian R.

1444. Thomas S.

1445. Eunice C.

Edmund R. Beckwith, 1436, of Petersburgh, Va., 1889; druggist; married Mary, daughter of J. White of Warrenton, N. C.

1446. John W.

1447. Edmund R.

1448. Della S.

1449. Agnus R.

1450. Hugh W.

1451. Mary W.

John Beckwith, 1437, married Katie Lee, daughter of J. E. Edwards of Charleston, S. C.

1452. Agnus R.

1453. Thomas N.

1454. William E.

1455. John Q.

1456. Katie L.

1457. Mary E.

Charles M. Beckwith, 1440, married S. B., daughter of J. R. Fairbanks, of Ferdinando, Florida.

1458. George R. F.

John Watrus Beckwith. 1427, born Raleigh, N. C., February, 1831; Protestant Episcopal Bishop of Ga.; died at Atlanta, Ga., November 23d, 1890; married Ella Brockinborough of Va.; died 1886; he graduated at Trinity College, Hartford, in 1852; ordained deacon May 24th, 1854; priest May, 1855; pastor in Wadesboro, N. C., and Anne Arundel, Md.; at breaking out of the Rebellion moved to Mississippi, and thence to Alabama; was rector of Trinity Church, N. O., and was elected from there Bishop of Ga.; received degree of S. T. D., from Trinity in 1867; consecrated bishop in St. John's Church, Savannah, Ga., April 2d, 1868.

1459. John F. B.

1460. Ella.

1461. Bessie.

Wattrus Beckwith, 1424, born Poughkeepsie, N. Y., February 8th, 1791; removed to Newberne, N. C., 1810; practiced law at Elizabeth City, N. C., 1814–15; died Plymouth, N. C., March 10th, 1850; lawyer; married Susan Bailey, January 8th, 1816; born February 6th, 1797; at Pasquaton Co., N. C.

1462. John Bailey; born November 21st, 1816;
M. D.; graduated in medicine at University of Md., in 1837; removed to Smithfield, N. C., 1841; living there 1889; no children; married twice; his first wife, Anna G. Thomson, married February 22d, 1849; died July 7th, 1850; 2d wife, Julia M. Saunders, married May 20th, 1856; died March 21st, 1859.



1463. Nathaniel.

1464. James L. S.

1464a. Chloe Ann; born April 17th, 1828; died in 1848; unmarried.

1465. Thomas.

1465a. Georgette D.; died in 1834.

Nathaniel Beckwith, 1463, born Pasquaton Co., N. C., February 19th, 1819; lawyer; removed to Hyde Co., N. C., in 1843; died there October 30th, 1886; married Mary E. Wynne, September 13th, 1849.

- 1466. Noma; born December 14th, 1850; married J. W. Willborn, November 28th, 1878.
- 1467. Robt. Watrus; born June 27th, 1852; married Mattie Hammond, January 30th, 1884.
- 1468. Steward J.; born January 23d, 1861.
- 1469. Norbonne; born 1854; died 1865, from a gunshot wound accidentally inflicted by himself.
- 1470. Sidney Thomas; born February 6th, 1864; lawyer, practicing at Monroe, N. C., 1889.

James L. S. Beckwith, 1464, born Pasquaton Co., N. C., September 19th, 1824; M. D.; died at Cremer, N. C., March, 1866; graduated in medicine at University of Pennsylvania, in 1854; practiced at Scottshill, N. C., and after at Swifts Creek, where he died; married Evaline Clifton of Raleigh, N. C., in 1855.

1471. Robertson; born 1856; M. D.; graduated

at Vanderbilt University; living Charlotte, N. C., in 1889.

1472. Bosworth C.; born 1858; lawyer; living at Raleigh, N. C., in 1889.

1473. Ann Julia; married Mr. Thackston, and was living at Raleigh, N. C., in 1889.

1474. Susan; living with her mother at Raleigh, N. C., in 1889.

Thomas Beckwith, 1465, born Pasquaton Co., N. C., June 9th, 1825; lawyer; practiced law in Plymouth, N. C.; at the breaking out of the war he entered the C. S. Army, serving in the 24th Reg. N. C. Inf., from 1861-63; died January 5th, 1863, from disease contracted during the campaigns in North-west Virginia; married Henrietta T. Phelps, in 1857, at Plymouth, N. C.; she was born in Washington Co., N. C., 1838.

1475. John Percy.

1476. Thomas Lynden; born January 14th, 1858; M. D.; graduated in medicine at College of Physicians and Surgeons in Baltimore, 1882; died February 22d, 1883.

John Percy Beckwith, 1475, born June 24th, 1858; living at Jacksonville, Fla., in 1889; married Sadie W. Boyer, of Anniston, Ala.

1477. Thomas Lyndon; born June, 1885; living at Jacksonville, Fla., 1889.

Watrus Beckwith, 1422, born Lyme, Conn., September 18th, 1754; served in Continental Army, 1776.

1478. John; born 1788, at Lyme, Conn.; moved west.



1479. Stephen.

Stephen Beckwith, 1479, resided at Pike, Wyoming Co., N. Y., in 1835; died there; married Narcissa Black.

1480. Philo D.

1481. Mrs. Thompson; living at Dawagiac, Mich., 1889.

Philo D. Beckwith, 1480, born Pike, N. Y., 1824; removed to Dawagiac, Mich., 1844, where he engaged in the manufacture of stoves, amassing a very large fortune entirely through his own exertions; died there January 12th, 1889; married C. M. Scott, in 1844; living at Dawagiac 1889.

1482. Della; married Ch. Gardner; living at Dawagiac, 1889.

Job Beckwith, 638, born Lyme, May 22d, 1705; married Elizabeth Harvey; born Mass.

1483. Harvey.

1484. Ezekiel.

1485. Job Beckwith; born New London, 1759; soldier Revolutionary war, 1776 to 1778; died Chemung Co., N. Y., in 1853; unmarried.

Harvey Beckwith, 1483, born Lyme, Conn., 1755; removed to Northampton, Mass.; farmer; married Josie Marion, January 17th, 1780; born Mass., October 23d, 1758.

1486, Harris William.



1487. William.

Harris William Beckwith, 1486, born Northampton, Mass., January 18th, 1781; died November 15th, 1818; married Pearly Briggs, January 2d, 1809; born Northampton.

- 1488. William Harvey; born January 18th, 1810: died March 9th, 1825.
- 1489. Francis E.
- 1490. Henrietta; born Northampton, January 6th, 1818; died Dorchester, March 9th, 1819.

Francis E. Beckwith, 1489, born Northampton, September 6th, 1817; settled at Litchfield, Mass.; married Mary Turner, April 16th, 1845; born Pittsfield, Mass.

- 1491. Francis E.
- 1492. Theodocia; born Whitinsville, April 9th, 1848; married L. Randall, at Springfield, January 10th, 1873; living at Springfield in 1889; children: Henry W., born April 24th, 1877; Emma A., born November 2d, 1881; Lora P., born January 18th, 1883.
- 1493. Henrietta L.; born June 16th, 1852; married J. Pinches, May 14th, 1874; children: John, born April 29th, 1875; Frank W., born September 21st, 1876; Charles W., born June 27th, 1882.
- 1494. Jennie; born Holyoke, August 29th, 1861; married C. F. Moore, January 4th, 1882;



children: George T., born July 7th, 1883; Francis E., born October 9th, 1885.

Francis E. Beckwith, 1491, born Whitinsville, February 10th, 1846; married Henrietta S. Miller, May 11th, 1869; born Springfield.

1495. Charles Harris; born August 21st, 1870.

1496. Henry W.; born 1877.

1497. Lora P.; born Hartford, 1875.

1498. Emma A.; born 1881.

William Beckwith, 1487, born February 18th, 1786; died at Dorchester, November 19th, 1823; married Betsy Northy, April 26th, 1808; died Dorchester, June 12th, 1836.

1499. James Harvey; born Scituate, Mass., May 16th, 1809; died at Dorchester, Mass., December 19th, 1831.

1500. Ira Lewis.

1501. David Barnes.

1502. William Henry.

1503. Julia Ann; born at Dorchester, June 7th, 1818; married Sloan; living at Milton, Mass., in 1888.

1504. Clarina Wade; born Dorchester, December 25th, 1820; died August 5th, 1857, in Boston.

1505. Laura A.; born Dorchester, December 26th,1824; married Sam. Somes; living at N.Attleboro, Mass., in 1889.

Ira Lewis Beckwith, 1500, born Weymouth, Mass.,



June 24th, 1810; at Providence, R. I., January 9th, 1865.

1516. Henry L.; merchant, Providence, R. I., in 1889.

David Barnes Beckwith, 1501, born Scituate, Mass., January 2d, 1813; died at Dorchester, November 1st, 1837; married Caroline E. Fuller; born Maine; died January 12th, 1875.

1517. David Harvey.

David Harvey Beckwith, 1517, born Dorchester, February 24th, 1836; carpenter and machinist; U. S. Vol. Service 1863-65, 2d R. I. Reg., wounded at the Battle of the Wilderness, May 4th, 1864; and was taken prisoner July, 1864; and made his escape April 5th, 1865; married Susan A. Stone, June 29th, 1862; died May 29th, 1867; married 2d, A. E. Wood, March 27th, 1872.

1518. Minattie C.; born September 18th, 1866; graduated from Providence High School, June 29th, 1887; living Providence, R. I., 1889.

William Henry Beckwith, 1502, born Scituate, February 29th, 1816; died Jamaica Plains, in 1860.

1519. Henry; living at Jamaica Plains, in 1889. Ezekiel Beckwith, 1485, born at New London, in 1757; moved to Colchester, Conn.; died there; married Elizabeth Fosdick; died New London.

1520. Nathan.

1521. Betsy; married D. Phelps; and died at Salem, Conn.



1522. Sallie; married Fuller; and died at Salem, Conn.

1523. Mercy.

1524. Charity.

1525. Grace.

1526. Fosdick.

1527. Moses.

1528. Ezekiel.

Nathan Beckwith, 1520, born New London, 1765; died at Old Lyme, Conn., January 18th, 1859; married Betsy Spencer; born E. Haddam; died Lyme, December 28th, 1864.

1529. George.

- 1530. Harriet; born June 2d, 1801; married Seaver; and died at Salem, Conn., in 187-; they had two children: Henry, living at Deep River, Conn., in 1889; and Mary Ann, born February 1st, 1803; married Justin Jewett of New York.
- 1531. Mary Ann; born February, 1803; married J. Jewett.
- 1532. William T.
- 1533. Elizabeth; born September 21st, 1817; married John Kirtland; living at Saybrook, Conn., in 1889.

George Beckwith, 1529, born Lyme, Conn., September 3d, 1799; died at Horseheads, N. Y., in 1862; married Mary Treadway; born Salem.

1534. Henry; married and living at Park Station, N. Y., 1889.

1535. Mary; married J. Hammond, and was living at Park Station in 1889.

William T. Beckwith, 1532, born at Lebanon, Conn., April 3d, 1813; died at Old Lyme, Conn., June 28th, 1885; married Mary Havens, October 28th, 1848; born Sag Harbor, January 20th, 1819.

1536. Jennie M.; born Old Lyme, Conn., September 15th, 1853; living there in 1886.

1537. William E.; born Lyme, Conn., November 17th, 1863; living in Erie, Penn., 1889; unmarried.

1538. George C.; born Lyme, Conn., February 3d, 1865; living there 1889; unmarried.

Ezekiel Beckwith, 1528, born New London; removed to Louisville, Ky.; died there; married Jane McDonald, in 1821; born New Jersey, 1801; daughter of Rev. Mr. McDonald, an Episcopal clergyman of New Jersey.

1539. John.

1540. William.

1542. Lod W.

Lod W. Beckwith, 1542; M. D.; born Campbell Co., Ky., October 26th, 1827; graduated March, 1856,

from medical department of the University of Louisville, entered the U. S. Army, in 1861, as surgeon of the 38th Reg. Indiana Volunteers, and served in various capacities until he was mustered out in 1865, was physician to Indiana State Prison South for six years, has been in civil practice at Jeffersonville, Ind., where he was living in 1889; married Emma Jones, October 29th, 1858; born Corvdon, Ind., 1839.

1543. William Jones; born October 29th, 1859.

1544. Mitchel Jones; born Nashville, August 4th, 1854.

1545. Jennie; born Nashville, August 4th, 1854.

1546. Emma Jones; born December 4th, 1872.

Thomas Beckwith, 626, born at Lyme, Conn., December 11th, 1711; removed to Bristol, Conn., in 1789; and had six children.

1547. Thomas.

Thomas Beckwith, 1547, born at Lyme, Conn., 1746; farmer; deacon Presbyterian Church; died at Burlington, Conn., 1830; living at Batavia in 1807; at Bristol in 1789; enlisted 1776, in Revolutionary Army, Lay's Co., Parsons' Reg., 3d Conn. Line, was at battle of Bunker Hill, re-enlisted, 1777, for two months, re-enlisted, 1778, for four months, drafted, 1778, on the brig Defiance for three months, and served in the privateer service six years.

1548. Flavel.

1549. Parnell; married Dibbell of Hartford.

1550. Ursula; married J. Hart.

1551. Annie; married Crowell of Hartford.

1552. Thomas.

1553. Harvey.

Harvey Beckwith, 1553, born at Burlington, Conn.

1554. Harvey.

1555. Job.

Flavel Beckwith, 1548, born Burlington, June 17th, 1782; died in Nelson Co., Ohio, 1874.

1556. Ralzaman.

1557. Caroline; born September 14th. 1803; married Dr. Foote of Nelson Co., Ohio.

1557a. Edmund; born 1809.

1558. Polly; born March 7th, 1812; married Addie of Burlington, Conn.

1559. Gay R.; born April 5th, 1823; living at Cleveland, Ohio, in 1888.

1560. Thomas.

1561. Wolston.

1562. John; born June 16th, 1816; removed to Windham, Ohio.

1563. Seth; born September 3d, 1818; removed to Nelson Co., Ohio.

1563a. Ann; born December 6th, 1820.

1564. Wells E.; born December 26th, 1826; living at Cleveland, Ohio, in 1889; married Aurelia.

1565. Flavel.

Ralzaman Beckwith, 1556, born Burlington, November 17th, 1801; farmer; removed to Genesee, N. Y.; married Eliza Jostin, March 11th, 1834; born March 4th, 1813, at Clifford, Penn.



1566. Flavel.

1567. Diamond; married Dr. Moores of Iowa.

1568. Thomas D.

1569. John.

Thomas D. Beckwith, 1568, born Lakeville, N. Y., February 14th, 1835; to Rochester, N. Y.; married A. D. Rhodes, December 4th, 1866; born June 14th, 1845.

1570. Carrie M.; born January 9th, 1870.

1371. Anson J.; born February 26th, 1872, at Rochester, N. Y.

John Beckwith, 1569, born in Nelson Co., Ohio, August 11th, 1842; married Amanda C. Nelson, November 14th, 1867; living at DesMoines, Iowa, in 1889.

1572. William M.; born September 28th, 1868.

1573. Jessie M.; born September 15th, 1871.

1573a. Andrew N.; born 1877; died 1878.

1574. Royden and Roy, twins; born August 21st, 1881.

Thomas Beckwith, 1560, born Burlington, Conn., December 5th, 1807; removed to Cleveland, Ohio; his first wife was H. Beardsley; born May 1st, 1816; died June 3d, 1843; he was living at Cleveland in 1889.

1575. Hanna A.; born May 1st, 1835.

1576. Dr. Edmund M.

1577. Shelden.

1578. Columbus C.

Dr. Edmund M. Beckwith, 1576, born October 14th, 1836; married Ann Dickerman in 1860; born Febru-



ary 22d, 1838; he moved to Colorado in 1886; to Santa Rosa, Cal., in 1888.

1579. Nellie M.; born Knoxville, Tenn., May 24th, 1860.

1580. Mary; born April 24th, 1861.

Shelden Beckwith, 1577, born December 27th, 1838; removed to Cleveland, Ohio; living there in 1889; manufacturer; married Ann Page, November 14th, 1864.

1581. George S.; living at Cleveland, Ohio, in 1889.

1582. Fannie; living at Cleveland, Ohio, in 1889. Columbus C. Beekwith, 1578, born June 29th, 1842; living at St. Paul, Minn., in 1888; Fargo, N. D., in 1891; married J. A. Sherwin, December 28th, 1865; born June 8th, 1846.

1583. Sherwin C.; born at St. Paul, June 29th, 1868.

Thomas Beckwith, 1560, his second wife was H. L. Panie; born April 16th, 1819.

1584. Harriet; born February 2d, 1819.

1585. Albro M.; born September 10th, 1861.

1586. Alice M.; born September 20th, 1861.

1587. Flavel.

1588. Thomas R.

Flavel Beckwith, 1587, born September 7th, 1850; banker at Cleveland, Ohio, in 1889; married A. Haight; born January 29th, 1853.

1589. Grace L.; born November 20th, 1883.

1590. Ada M.; born February 27th, 1886.

Thomas R. Beckwith, 1588, born December 14th, 1857; book-keeper at Cleveland, Ohio, in 1888; married F. D. Romp, May 26th, 1881.

1591. Florence; born June 29th, 1885.

Wolston Beckwith, 1561, born at New Hartford, Conn., February 10th, 1810; removed to Oberlin, Ohio; died there July 19th, 1874; married Maria Taylor, October 21st, 1835; born Tallmadge, Summit Co., Ohio, March 28th, 1817;

1592. Charles F.

Charles F. Beckwith, 1592, born Nelson, Portage Co., Ohio, September 19th, 1839; brought up in the hardware business, afterward a banker at Oberlin, Ohio, in 1889; married Ellen C. Fletcher, August 12th, 1861; born Eden, N. Y., July 23d, 1840.

1593. Louie Maria; born July 20th, 1864.

1594. Charles Clifton; born September 12th, 1868.

1595. Frank Fletcher; born May 27th, 1871.

1596. John Wolston; born June 31st, 1875.

Flavel Beckwith, 1565, born June 16th, 1816; removed to Massillon, Ohio; married Emma Kill of Massillon, Ohio.

1597. Sophia; married J. Roberts of Mansfield, Ohio; children: Thomas, Flora, William.

1597a. Sarah; married A. Hoff in 1863.

1598. William F.; U. S. V. S., 1861-65; killed at battle of Rocky Face Ridge, served in Col. McIlvane's Reg.

1599. Thomas; living at Mansfield, Ohio, in 1888;

married Sarah A. Hoff; born March 3d, 1863.

1600. John.

1601. Hiram.

John Beckwith, 1600, U. S. V. S., 1861-5, 102d Ohio, Col. McGlocklen; was living at Mansfield, Ohio, in 1881; married M. E. Massie.

1602. Emma A.

1603. Harva.

1604. Sadie.

1605. Clara.

1606. Olive.

1607. Charlie.

1608. Nellie.

Hiram Beckwith, 1601, married Agnes Stump.

1609. Addie.

1610. Ethel.

Thomas Beckwith, 1552, born at Exeter, N. Y., November 6th, 1789; to McDonough, N. Y.; removed to Cincinnatus, N. Y., 1850; died there, September 21st, 1860; married Dillamy Comstock; born November 21st, 1787; died at McDonough, November 27th, 1850.

- 1611. Azubah; born August 9th, 1811; died March 27th, 1853; married Joshua Perkins.
- 1612. Sephrona; born July 15th, 1816; married Oliver Hutchinson; had four children.
- 1613. Cordelia; born December 7th, 1820; died August 8th, 1878; married Albert Skillman.

1614. Dellamy; born January 22d, 1825; married David Ellsworth; living in 1889.

1615. Samuel.

1615a. Albert.

1616. Harmonious.

Samuel Beckwith, 1615, born at McDonough, January 20th, 1818; died July 22d, 1887; married Sarah Skillman.

. 1617. Seward; living at Cincinnatus, N. Y., in 1888.

Harmonious Beckwith, 1616, born McDonough, N. Y., February 14th, 1823; died at Cincinnatus, N. Y., February 12th, 1873; married Mary Skillman, January 1st, 1849; born McDonough, N. Y., August 8th, 1833.

- 1618. Sarah A.; born November 9th, 1850; married Yokia Wood; living at Cincinnatus,
 N. Y., in 1889; one child, Estella, born December 27th, 1882.
- 1618a. Thomas S.; born July 9th, 1854; died 1857.
- 1618b. Harris B.; born April 13th, 1856; died 1861.
- 1619. Fidelia; born November 25th, 1853; died 1853.
- 1620. Ella D.; born March 26th, 1860; married Ralph Harvey, December 24th, 1884; living at Cincinnatus, in 1889; one child Blanche, born June 18th, 1886.

1620a. Benjaman; born March 31st, 1867; living at Cincinnatus, 1888.

1620b. Lyman G.; born April 23d, 1869; living at Cincinnatus, 1889.

1621. Devillo J.; born March 15th, 1862; mechanic; married Blanch Brooks, June 10th, 1885; born Cortland Co., N. Y., August 20th, 1868; living Binghamton, N. Y., in 1889.

1622. Harmonious V.

1622a. Nellie J.; born April 8th, 1865; married Will Smith, January 1st, 1889.

Harmonious V. Beckwith, 1622, born March 27th, 1858; living at Cincinnatus in 1889; married Alice Council, February 26th, 1885.

1623. Baby; born July 5th, 1889.

Harmonious Beckwith, 1616.

1624. Kittie; born April 8th, 1865; married Will Smith, Jan 1st, 1889.

1625. Benjaman L.; born March 31st, 1867; living at Cincinnatus, 1889.

1626. Luman G.; born April 28th, 1869; living at Cincinnatus, 1889.

Joseph Beckwith, 625, born Lyme, Conn., 1700; died August 9th, 1764.

1627. Asa.

Asa Beckwith, 1627, born Lyme, Conn., about 1734.

1628. Chauncey.

1629. Wolcot; settled in N. Y.

1630. Reuben.

1630a. Lois; born 1765.

1631. Abigail; born 1759; married De Wolf.

1632. Asa.

1633. Joseph.

Chauncey Beckwith, 1628, born Lyme, Conn.; removed to Bristol, Conn., and died there; married January 27th, 1780.

1634. Chauncey; born Bristol; removed to Akron, Ohio, in 1888.

1635. John; born Bristol; removed to Licking Co., Ohio, 1824.

1636. Enos.

1637. Asa.

1638. Emaline; married Ives; her daughter Ophelia was living at Bristol in 1889.

1639. Amy; married; her daughter Amanda Carter, living at So. Euclid, Ohio, in 1889.

Enos Beckwith, 1636, born Bristol, Conn.; removed to Licking Co., Ohio, in 1824; died at Martinsburg, Ohio; married Clarissa Hart, June, 1822; died at Sycamore, Ill.

1640. Chauncey B.

Chauncey B. Beckwith, 1640, born Martinsburg, Ohio; died at Sycamore, Ill., August 30th, 1869; married Mary A. Woolsey, March 21, 1855, born Austinsburg, Ohio, May 13th, 1835.

1641. Clara; married Flannery; living at Englewood, Ill., in 1889.

1642. Anna; born 1868; died 1869.

1643. Thomas Welsy.

Thomas Welsy Beckwith, 1643, born November 18th, 1857; dentist, at Sterling, Ill., in 1889; married Hattie K. Tracy, November 5th, 1884, born Spring field, Mass., August 2d, 1859.

1644. Clara Tracy; born August 30th, 1885.

1645. Mary L.; born November 22d, 1886.

1646. John T.; born September 5th, 1888.

Asa Beckwith, 1637, born Bristol, Conn., 1789; removed to Ohio in 1826; married Sarah Barnes of Bristol.

1647. Eli B.

1648. Hiram.

1649. Dewitt.

1650. Orlando; born Ohio; died 1864, of disease contracted in the U. S. Vol. Service; married Harriet Wilson, in 1854, of Zanesville.

1651. Charles B.; born in Ohio; died in 1856.

1652. Sarah; married George Moore; living at Newark, Ohio, in 1859.

Eli Bartholomew Beckwith, 1647, born Bristol, February 21st. 1823; died Westminister, Md., June 22d, 1881; married Sarah A. Howard, at Zanesville; living at Baltimore, Md., 1889.

1653. Ariana; born Newark, Ohio, in 1853; married February, 1888, and moved to Flagstaf, Arizona, in 1889.

1654. Frederick M.; born Baltimore, Md., in 1855; died Zanesville, Ohio, in 1877.

1655. William R.; born Baltimore, Md., in 1856;

married Marie McCarthy of Chicago, Ill.; living at New York city in 1889.

1656. Charles Barnes; born 1864; died 1865.

1657. Ella Cole; born Zanesville in 1863; died 1864.

1658. Alice; born 1866; died 1875.

Reuben Beckwith, 1630, born Cloverache on the Hudson, November 10th, 1762; died near Cleveland, Ohio; married Elizabeth Utley, born Cloverache on the Hudson, October 13th, 1768; died Cleveland, Ohio.

1659. David.

1660. Wolcot; born December 31st, 1789; died Oneida Co., N. Y.

1661. Charlotte; born February 15th, 1791; married Tallmadge of Blissfield, Ohio.

1662. Polly; born June 19th, 1795; married; and died in Mich.

1663. Martha; born July 21st, 1797; married Saulsbury.

1664. Lemuel.

1665. Henry; born August 11th, 1799; died unmarried.

1666. Betsy; born February 24th, 1804.

1667. Lucy; born May 11th, 1811.

1668. Nelson; born July 3d, 1806; died in Mich.

1669. Saxton.

David Beckwith, 1659, born at Lyme, Conn., February 15th, 1787; died at Warrensville, Ohio.

1670. David.

1671. Letta.

Lemuel Beckwith, 1664, born Westonville, Oneida Co., N. Y., April 18th, 1793; removed to Tyantig, Ontario, in 1832; married Betsy Hicks, in 1861, born at Rutland, Vt., November 8th, 1793; died at Cobden, Ill.

1672. Martha A.; born February 17th, 1817; died August 17th, 1828.

1673. Mary; born May 14th, 1821; married H.
B. Barton, September 19th, 1839; living at Grand Rapids, Mich., in 1889.

1674. George.

1675. Sandford W.; born at Ellisburgh, Jefferson Co., N. Y., March 17th 1830; pomologist; living at Cobden, Ill., in 1889; married Mary Swan, February 14th, 1854, born Westonville, N. Y., November 30th, 1830; no children.

1676. Joseph.

1677. Henry N.

1678. Maremus.

George Beckwith, 1674, born N. Y. State, May 18th, 1818; resided at Tweed, Ontario; married J. A. Provort, in 1840, born Canada, November 30th, 1816; living at Shannonsville, Ont., in 1889.

1679. Marshall; living at Cobden, Ill., 1889.

1680. Mallissa A.

1681. Elizabeth J.

1682. Uriah Eldridge.

1683. John P.

John Percival Beckwith, 1683, born November 15th,

1849; carriage wood-worker; living at Chicago, Ill., in 1889; married Kate E. Eberhart, October 18th, 1876, born at Chicago, Ill., October 11th, 1857.

1684. Anna F.; born June 29th, 1877.

1685. George; born August 16th, 1878.

1686. Henry A.; born November 13th, 1879.

1687. Edward J.; born October 21st, 1821.

1688. Charles E.; born January 13th, 1883.

1689. Mary E.; born May 25th, 1886.

Joseph Beckwith, 1676, born Sidney, Ont., June 30th, 1832; living at London, Ont., in 1889; married Oriana Bushnell, 1858, born in England, March 4th, 1841.

1690. Jenette M.; born 1860; married and living in London, Ont., 1889.

1691. Frank; born 1862; married.

1692. Luella; born 1867.

1693. Amelia; born 1869.

1694. Laura; born 1872.

1695. Florence; born 1874.

1696. Dudley; born 1877.

Henry Nelson Beckwith, 1677, born Canada, June 20th, 1835; carpenter and house joiner; living at Selby, Ont., in 1889; married Flora Fraser, January 11th, 1864, born Lansdale, Ont., March 4th, 1841.

1697. Lewis; born October 19th, 1864.

1698. Lemuel Nelson; born February 22d, 1866.

1699. Ellen; born October 23d, 1867.

1700. Franklin; born November 4th, 1868.

1701. Christian; born October 7th, 1871.

1702. Norman A.; born October 29th, 1873.

1702. Malcolm F.; born June 20th, 1877.

1703. Sabra; born June 15th, 1879.

Maremus Beckwith, 1678, born at Rome, Oneida Co., N. Y., December 25th, 1822; gardener; married Aluria Wyman, March 10th, 1849, born Ontario, Prince Edward Co., Canada, November 25th, 1822; living Sharonville, Ont., in 1889.

1704. Louisa; born August 10th, 1848.

1705. Betsy J.; born June 14th, 1850.

1706. Maremus B.; born March 11th, 1852; living Central City, Dakota, in 1889.

1707. Millburn; died October 2d, 1857.

1708. Martha A.; born April 14th, 1856.

1709. Walter S.; born September 15th, 1853; living Central City, Dakota, in 1889.

1710. Aluria M.; born May 12th, 1858.

1711. Chauncey W.; born January 12th, 1862; living Central City, Dakota, in 1889.

1712. Laura J.; born June 15th, 1864.

Saxton Beckwith, 1669, born August 12th, 1801, in Oneida Co., N. Y.; married Sally Burgess.

1713. Susan; married Main.

1714. Martha; married Dakin.

1715. Warden; married Sarah Peck.

1716. Millisa; married Ellis.

1717. Lucy; married J. McKinney.

1718. Harriette; married Linderman.

1719. Henry.

1720. Daniel.

1721. Esquire.

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Henry Beckwith, 1719, born in 1840; removed to Mansfield, Ohio; U. S. V. S., 1861-65; married J. C. Guest, September 15th, 1865.

1722. Bertram H.; born September, 1866.

1723. Charlie E.; born September 18th, 1875.

1724. Freddy C.; born January 26th, 1880.

Daniel Beckwith, 1720, born Monroe, Ohio; U. S. V. S., 1861-65; married H. Peck in 1867.

1725. Inez.

Esquire Beckwith, 1721; U. S. V. S., 1861-64.

1726. Levi.

1727. Eddie.

1728. Ernest.

1729. Florence.

1730. Eva.

1731. Jane.

1732. Chauncey.

Asa Beckwith, 1632, born in N. Y. State; settled in N. Y.

1733. Joseph.

1734. Ira.

1735. Polly.

1736. David.

1737. Patience.

1738. Eleanor.

Joseph Beckwith, 1633, born at Lyme, Conn., in 1749; died 1834; married Mrs. Esther W. Wait nee Daniels, born in 1765.

1739. Hepsibah; born 1799; married F. Champion.

1740. Harriet; born 1807; married J. Haynes.

1741. Richard Beckwith.

Richard Beckwith, 1741, born Lyme, Conn., in 1786; soldier of the War of 1812-14; married Freelove Smith; died at New London, Conn.

1742. Leonard.

1743. Amanda; married Crocker.

1744. Lucrissia; married Demison of New London.

1745. Francis D.

Francis D. Beckwith, 1745, born Waterford, Conn., April 28th, 1810; married Nancy A. Howe, November 4th, 1832, born Delhi, N. Y., September 14th, 1813.

1746. George T.

1747. Thomas A.

1748. Jeannette C.

1749. Horace.

1750. Anson J.

1751. Nathan.

1752. Orrin Wolcott.

Orrin Wolcott Beckwith, 1752, born Waterford, Conn., February 14th, 1838; steamboat pilot; married twice; first wife was Ellen M. Sistaire, whom he married October 30th, 1860, born Groton, Conn., March 1st, 1838; married 2d, Aluira S. Burrows, born March 7th, 1835.

1753. Tressa S.; married Frank Edgecomb, September 30th, 1883.

1754. Orrin P.



1755. Lottie H.; married Wm. H. Trail, March 14th, 1889.

Elijah Beckwith, 632, born at New London, 1716; married Joanna Watrous.

1756. Elijah.

1757. Lydia; born October 23d, 1752.

1758. Joanna; born October 23d, 1752.

1759. Hezekiah; born September 12th, 1754.

1760. Stephen.

1761. George.

1762. Samuel.

Elijah Beckwith, 1756, born New London, 1750; died 1780; married Sally Miller of Lyme, Conn.

1763. Joanna; died 1828; married Sabin K. Smith.

1764. A daughter; adopted by a family in Vermont.

1765. Joseph M.

Joseph M. Beckwith, 1765, born Vermont, 1773; carpenter; died Watertown, N. Y., 1878; married Sally in 1766, his cousin, daughter of Ezra Beckwith of Lyme, Conn.; she died at St. Lawrence Co., N. Y., in 1846.

1766. Lydia J.; born Lyme, Conn., February 4th,
1807; married D. Lessee, February 10th,
1828; he died; married 2d, Nathan Noyes,
September 10th, 1849; she was living at
Marbie Rock, Iowa, in 1889; children:
Daniel Lessee, born March 24th, 1831;
married Laura Cooper of Watertown, N.

Y.; living there in 1889; Hiram, born March 3d, 1834.

1767. Hiram; born Lyme, February 28th, 1809; a sailor; died at New London, August 29th, 1829.

1768. Alfred.

1769. Jeremiah.

1770. Elijah.

Alfred Beckwith, 1768, born Lyme, Conn., September 25th, 1811; farmer; died at Orleans, Jefferson Co., N. Y., January, 1877; married Armenia Wood in 1833, born St. Lawrence Co., N. Y., February 11th, 1815.

1771. Annie; married Hiram Ellis; living Clayton, N. Y., in 1889.

1772. Harriette; married Peck; living at Plessis, N. Y., in 1889.

1773. Orlon; born Lyme, Conn., March 20th, 1851; living at Otto Lake, Mich., in 1889; married Sylvia Turner.

1774. Hiram.

Hiram Beckwith, 1774, born St. Lawrence Co., N. Y., January 13th, 1850; farmer at LaFargeville, N. Y., in 1889; married Dora S. Buskirk, November 15th, 1871; born at Clayton, N. Y., December, 1849.

1775. Earl N.; born March 4th, 1875.

1776. Edith M.; born September 10th, 1877.

1777. Grace J.; born May 31st, 1888.

Jeremiah Beckwith, 1769, born Lyme, Conn., November 23d, 1814; distiller at Cleveland, Ohio, in

- 1889; 1st wife, Charlotte Jones; married 2d wife, August 14th, 1851; born February 16th, 1838; died Cleveland, Ohio, June 27th, 1872.
 - 1778. Charles G.; born Clayton, N. Y., 1851; died at Fort Missoula, Montana, in 1883; unmarried.
 - 1779. Lonon; born Canada West, February 29th, 1855; married John A. Riggs, March 12th, 1886; he died November 2d, 1887; she was living at Cleveland, Ohio, in 1889; one child: Charles Howard, born Cleveland, Ohio, September 17th, 1883.
 - 1780. William M.; carriage painter; living at Denver, Colo., in 1889; married Edith Cramer, September 16th, 1886.
 - 1781. Edgar J.; machinist at Montreal, Canada, in 1889; unmarried.

Jeremiah Beckwith, 1769, married Harriette Shelden, 2d wife.

- 1782. Shelden; U.S. V.S.; killed in battle.
- 1783. Jenks; farmer in Kansas.
- 1784. Augusta; married William Kelly of Rodman, N. Y.

Elijah Beckwith, 1770, born March 20th, 1817; living at La Fargeville, N. Y.; married twice; 1st wife, Betsy Hinds; by his 2d wife, Pheodore E. Shelden, born October 7th, 1826, he had the following children:

1785. Mary L.; born April 20th, 1840; married

Layfelt; living at Marble Rock, Iowa, in 1889.

1786. Ellen E.; born July 5th, 1855; married Lew Leach; living at Perch River, N. Y., in 1889.

1787. Martha L.; born September 6th, 1843.

1788. Charles R.; born September 13th, 1842.

1789. Gilbert; born July 22d, 1846.

1790. Norman E.; born April 11th, 1852.

1791. Willard C.; born September 27th, 1848; farmer at La Fargeville, 1889.

1792. Alvin W.; born April 11th, 1852; married Georgiana Drury.

Stephen Beckwith, 640, born Lyme, Conn., August 10th, 1709; died at Hartford, 1788; ensign of Train Band of Hartford; he married Hannah Newton, May 17th, 1742; died at Lyme, Conn., May 16th, 1746.

1793. Cyrus G.; born October 18th, 1743; captain 2d Reg. N. Y. Line in the Continental Army.

1794. Jerusha; born May 16th, 1746.

Stephen Beckwith, 640, married Jerusha Watrous, December 16th, 1747; born 1730; died 1796.

1795. Jeysie.

1796. Jerusha.

1797. Azubah; married Jessie Peck.

Jeysie Beckwith, 1795, born Lyme, Conn., 1753, then "Chesterfield Society;" served in the Continental Army; died 1840; married Esther Smith of Montville; died 1838 at Lyme, Conn.

1798. Betsy; died unmarried.

1799. Elijah.

1800. Nathan.

1801. Ezra; born Lyme; removed to Bloomfield; died in Wis.; married Parnol Crane of Rochester, N. Y.

1802. Sylvanus.

1803. Nathaniel.

1804. Jeysie.

1805. Israel.

Sylvanus Beckwith, 1802, born Lyme, Conn., February 14th, 1787; removed to Bloomfield, N. Y.; died Cassopolis, Mich., February 24th, 1829; married Lydia H. Goold, February 12th, 1809; born Lyme, Conn., November 23d, 1792; died at Dawagiac, Mich., September 15th, 1875.

1806. Hattie; living at Dawagiac, Mich., in 1889.

1806a. ——; married James Sullivan; living Dawagiac, Mich., in 1889.

1807. Walter.

Walter G. Beckwith, 1807, born at West Bloomfield, N. Y., January 8th, 1810; died at Cassopolis, Mich.; married Eliza A. Lee, May 22d, 1838; born at Bloomfield, December 2d, 1811.

1808. Frank L.

1809. Edwin N.

Frank L. Beckwith, 1808, born at Cassopolis, Mich., March 10th, 1844; died September 30th, 1876, at Dawagiac, Mich.

- 1810. Fred L.; living at Dawagiac, Mich., in 1889.
- 1811. E. Blanch; living at Dawagiac in 1889.

Edwin N. Beckwith, 1809, born at Cassopolis, October 21st, 1847; farmer; married C. L. Sullivan, August 6th, 1869; born Horicon, Wis., February 1st, 1850.

- 1812. Charles G.; born at Dawagiac, April 19th, 1870.
- 1813. Walter G.; born at Dawagiac, November 29th, 1871.

Nathaniel Beckwith, 1803, born Lyme, Conn.; died at Bloomfield; married Clarissa Guthrie, in 1816; born Mass.

1814. Watts.

Watts Beckwith, 1814, born at Bloomfield, June 8th, 1825; living at Daytonia, Fla., in 1889; married A. Gilkey, November, 1869; born N. H., in 1832.

1815. Charles Gilkey; died young.

Jeysie Beckwith, 1804, born at Lyme, Conn., 1790; died 1829; married Obiah Rogers; died aged 90, March 3d, 1822.

- 1816. Laura; married Seth Crocker.
- 1817. Azubah; married E. Atwood, and moved to Cal.; she died August 7th, 1881.
- 1818. Henry F.; living at Providence, R. I., in 1889.

Israel Beckwith, 1805, born Lyme, Conn., May 2d, 1794; died September 21st, 1859; married Eunice Hilliard in 1819; died May 28th, 1884.

1819. Eliphalet.

1820. Elias H.

Eliphalet Beckwith, 1819, born May 13th, 1821; died January 30th, 1886; married Sarah A. Rathburn.

1821. Albert; born April 8th, 1851; living at Norwich, Conn., in 1889; not married.

Elias H. Beckwith, 1820, born at Norwich, Conn., June 23d, 1823; merchant; married M. J. Davis, January 4th, 1862; living Norwich, Conn., in 1889.

1822. William W.; born at Norwich, June 23d, 1863; married Lillian W. Sears, November 7th, 1866.

Nathaniel Beckwith, 639, born Lyme, Conn., January 6th, 1707.

1823. Niles.

1824. Jabez.

Niles Beckwith, 1823, born Lyme, Conn., in 1753; removed to Lempster, N. H. (Sullivan County); soldier in the Continental Army; during one of the battles he had a narrow escape—"a ball cut the knot of his cravat;" died at Unity, N. H., in 1821.

1825. Warren.

1826. Byron.

1827. Bethuel.

1828. Lauren.

1829. Lucinda.

1830. Clarissa; married Caleb Sales; 2dly, married Holt; their children were: Louisa, Roxanna, Oscar.



1831. Polly; married Hodge of Lempster; children: Chester, Roulle.

1832. Betsy; married Moses Cooper of Greenfield.

1833. Esther; married Fuller of Sutton.

1834. Nelson; died young.

Warren Beckwith, 1825, born Lempster, N. H., August 20th, 1779; farmer; died in 1830; married Statira Redding, February 15th, 1805; born July 12th, 1780; died Lempster, August 11th, 1839.

1835. Charles G.

1836. Joseph W.

1837. Lucinda; born at Lempster, October 10th, 1809; died October 17th, 1850; married Charles Bignall of Ackworth; children; Mary, Henry, Helen, Mary, Hattie P.

November 16th, 1880; married 1st, J. P. Bignall, August 11th, 1839; their children: Thomas W., born August 3d, 1840; U. S. Vol. Service, 1861-4; killed battle of Gettysburg; Parmelia S., born November 16th, 1843; married George B. Alexander; living Gilsum, N. H., 1889; Lusylva A., born June 1st, 1846; married Henry Temple; Charles P., born November 6th, 1851; living West Swansey, N. H., 1889; married Lucy T. Brown; after Bignall's death she married Asa E. Howe, August 20th, 1839; the children by this 2d marriage were: Austin L., born July

23d, 1858; George C., born May 3d, 1860; Johnny A. D., born July 23d, 1862.

1839. Esther P.; born February 14th, 1825; died April 4th, 1873; married James P. Reed; children: Albert H., Darwin H., Edwin W., Abbie A., Edah C.

1840. Sarah A.; born March 7th, 1813; died April 4th, 1874; married Chapin Burt of Hillsboro, N. H.; children: Sarah Ann, Alwidda, Milan, Hattie.

1840a. Huldah; born August 15th, 1817; died August 18th, 1817.

1840b. Statira; born August 3d, 1818; died young.

1841. Thomas A.

1842. Silas S.

1842a. Lucy S.; born April 19th, 1821; died young.

Charles G. Beckwith, 1835, born July 16th, 1805; married Fanny Badger; born at Peterboro, N. H.

1843. John W.

1844. Nancy.

1845. Stephen H.

Joseph W. Beckwith, 1836, born at Lempster, N. H., October 11th, 1807; died June 13th, 1872; married five times; 2d, married to Pauline Cummins of Unity; 5th, married to Rebecca Pierce, November 5th, 1859; born at Hancock in 1809; removed to Gilsum, N. H., where she died; 1st, married Erminia J. Buswell.

1846. Edward S.

1847. Emma S.

Joseph W. Beckwith, 1836, 3d wife, Sarah L. Palmer of Bradford, N. H.

1848. Kirk.

1849. Francis A.; born at Welton, October 26th, 1844.

Joseph W. Beckwith, 1836, 4th wife, Belinda Brown of Mt. Vernon, Mass.

1850. Henry S.

Henry S. Beckwith, 1850, born at Bennington, December 26th, 1846; married Jennie Welch, January 20th, 1875.

1851. Lena; born August 12th, 1876.

Thomas A. Beckwith, 1841, born at Lempster, December 29th, 1811; married Ellen Patterson.

1852. Martin W.

1853. Thomas A.

1854. Silas S.

1855. Ellen M.

1856. Emma J.

1857. William H.

1858. Charles F.

1859. Edwin W.

1860. George O.

1861. Freddy C.

Silas S. Beckwith, 1842, born at Lempster, N. H., April 11th, 1816; removed to Claremont, Dodge Co., Minn., in 1856; farmer; living there in 1889; married



- Electa Reed, April 14th, 1840; born Langdon, N. H., July 8th, 1816.
 - 1862. Darwin O.; born Lempster, N. H., July 16th, 1841; died December 19th, 1847.
 - 1862a. Amelia Z.; born Lempster, N. H., May 4th, 1844; died May 6th, 1844.
 - 1862b. Ruth L.; born Lempster, N. H., December 23d, 1845; died January 22d, 1847.
 - 1862c. Ruth N.; born Lempster, N. H., October 7th, 1847; married J. L. Clark, November 18th, 1845; living Herrick, Knox Co., Neb., in 1889; he was a ranchman; their children: Iness C., born December 17th, 1869; Edwin M., born November 10th, 1871; Orrin L. and Warren, twins, born October 9th, 1874; Elmer A., born September 4th, 1877; Elwood L., born April 21st, 1879; Jennie F., born April 9th, 1881.
 - 1863. Edith E; born at Ackworth, December 8th, 1851; married E. A. Chapman, September 8th, 1872; living at Philomath, Oregon, in 1889; their children are: Welma E., born August 11th, 1873; Athol O., born July 13th, 1875; Leo E., born July 9th, 1879; Winnie E., born July 13th, 1884.
 - 1864. Cornelia E.; born at Charlestown, N. H.,
 September 11th, 1856; married F. G.
 Clark, March 29th, 1874; living at Corvallis, Oregon, in 1889; their children are:

Merton F., born May 26th, 1876; Guy A., born August 17th, 1880.

1865. Jennie F.; born at Claremont, Minn., July5th, 1860; was cashier of the W. U. T.Co., at St. Paul, Minn., in 1889.

1866. Albro E.

1866a. Pamelia; married Byron Alexander; children: Frank E., Hattie.

1866b. Abbie A.; married Elmer E. Dodge; one child: Bertha.

1867. Ormond W.

Albro E. Beckwith, 1866, born at Lempster, January 5th, 1850; married Clara Pierce, November 28th, 1872; born July 26th, 1853; farmer; living at Cheney, Dodge Co., Minn., in 1889.

1868. Florence E.; born January 13th, 1874.

1869. Myra E.; born January 22d, 1876.

1870. Lauraette B.; born September 26th, 1881.

1871. Leslie May; born May 3d, 1884.

Ormond W. Beckwith, 1867, born Lempster, May 1st, 1854; married Nellie G. Ryder, October 28th, 1883; born March 16th, 1846; ranchman; they were living at Cornwallis, Oregon, in 1889.

1872. Frederick A.; born February 14th, 1885; died August 8th, 1885.

1872a. Charles A.; born July 15th, 1887.

Byron Beckwith, 1826, born Lempster, N. H.; married Candace Hurd, daughter of Justin Hurd of East Haddam, June 4th, 1806; born June 7th, 1781; died January, 1859.



- 1873. Elvira; born in 1811; died in 1839; married J. Buckminister of Methuem, Mass.
- 1874. Diana; born 1813; died 1825.
- 1875. Harriette S.; born Lempster, 1815; died 1829.
- 1876. Emeline; born Unity, 1818; married Spencer.
- 1877. Polly E.
- 1878. John Bethuel; born at Lempster.

Bethuel Beckwith, 1827, born October 10th, 1783; died at Alstead, January 17th, 1808; married twice; 1st wife, Betsy Davis; died Lempster in 1809; 2d wife, a sister of his first wife.

- 1879. Linus Niles.
- 1880. Betsy D.; born August 12th, 1812; married B. Davis.
- 1881. Lucy A.; born 1814; died 1872; married D. Tifft.
- 1882. Esther M.; born 1826; died 1846.
- 1883. Margarette; born Alsteau in 1826; married O. Inman of R. I.
- 1884. Amanda; born 1828; married J. Spaulding of Wilson Co., Wis.
- 1885. Salmon C.; born at Marlow, July 1st, 1816.
- 1886. John.
- 1887. Ezra N.

Linus Niles Beckwith, 1879, born at Alstead, N. H., August 19th, 1811; died at Alstead, February 19th, 1880; married 1st wife, Eliza A. Davis, October 16th, 1835; born Barry, Mass., February 16th, 1816.

1888. Albert D.

1889. Ransom E.

1889a. Addison; living Boston, Mass., in 1889.

1889b. Addie.

1889c. Hattie.

1890. Henry H.

1891. George A.; born Weston, Vt., January 22d, 1843; U. S. V. S., 1861-5; wounded at battle of Fredericksburg; died in hospital, May 12th, 1864.

1892. Eliza A.; born at Weston, Vt., 1845; died at Alstead, 1865.

1893. Milan N.; born August, 1848; U. S. V. S., 2d Reg. Vt. Vol.; living in 1889, at Nashua, N. H.; married Ruth E. Dodge, July 9th, 1870.

1894. Nelson B.; born at Weston; living in 1889, at Chester, Penn.; married C. Beebee, 1850; died 1875.

Albert D. Beckwith, 1888, born Len.pster, February 22d, 1837; U. S. V. S., 2d Reg. Vt. Vol., 1861-5; wounded at battle of Fredericksburg; married Amelia Lincoln, October 15th, 1870; living Bellows Falls, Vt., in 1889.

1895. Ernest C.; born at Alstead in 1872.

1896. Edna; born at Alstead, September 29th, 1878.

Ransom E. Beckwith, born at Lempster in 1838; died at Nashua in 1878; married Lizzie White.

1897. Lucania; born Florida in 1876.

Henry H. Beckwith, 1890, born at Marlow, June 20th, 1841; contractor and builder; married Eliza A. Townsend, June 15th, 1874; born at Alstead, May 29th, 1850; living at Keene, N. H., in 1889.

1898. Willard H.; born October 14th, 1876.

1899. Ella M.; born July 27th, 1880.

Lauren Beckwith, 1828, born at Lempster, January 13th, 1787; farmer; married Sally Dutton of Lempster.

1900. Thomas.

1901. Gillman.

1902. Byron.

Jabez Beckwith, 1824, born in East Haddam, Conn., 1768; died November 10th, 1871; removed to Jilsum, N. H., and then to Lempster; they came on horseback through a wilderness by a pathway of blazed trees with the bed and bedding and other things for their log cabin, and with them their two-year-old daughter Sally; they drove a cow along, "which was their living;" until he could raise his own coin he had to go to Charlestown for his grain; surveyor, county clerk, State representative of Sullivan Co. 12 years, and was appointed colonel of militia; married Elizabeth Hurd; born East Haddam, Conn., in 1772; died October 6th, 1849.

- 1903. Sally; born Jilsum, October 8th, 1799; married Eli Hull, and lived at Keene; she died age 79.
- 1904. Diadiama; married Asa Way, and had four sons and six daughters.

1905. Betsy; married Erastus Newton of Newport, N. H.; a farmer; had three sons, all graduates of college, and were lawyers practicing at Hanover, N. H., and Burlington, Vt.; one daughter who lives at the old homestead at Newport, N. H.

1906. Nathaniel.

1907. Jabez.

1908. Martin.

Jabez Beckwith, 1907, married Catherine Putnam of Charlestown, N. H.

1909. ——.

1910. Emeline; married at Lowell, Mass.

1911. Angeline; married Newton of Lowell, Mass.

1912. Mary C.; married Putnam of Lempster.

Martin Beckwith, 1908, born at Lempster, N. H., April 28th, 1780; died May 27th, 1881; State representative five years, a democrat, captain of militia; married Tirzah Judd, February 26th, 1808; born South Hadley, Mass., February 26th, 1782; died September 6th, 1858; he was a very large man, and "on muster day in full uniform and riding a fine horse always created a sensation;" he commanded the escort when Gov. Hill was inaugurated and went to Concord; several years before his death he became blind, and walked the streets of Lempster alone with aid of his cane, and lived to be one hundred and one years of age.

1913. Rev. Hiram.

1914. Homer.

- 1915. Tirzah M.; born January 22d, 1819; died September 13th, 1858; married D. J. Burnham of Farmington, Mass.
- 1916. Elizabeth; born February 7th, 1817; died 1881; married John Platt of Manchester, Me.
- 1917. Caroline; born July 12th, 1811; living at Lempster in 1889; unmarried.
- 1918. Edson Leroy; born August 22d, 1813; died August 22d, 1818.

Rev. Hiram Beckwith, 1913, born May 21st, 1809; minister; married Hannah R. Moore of Shelby, N. Y., September 8th, 1836; living at Spring Lake, Mich., in 1888.

- 1919. Andrew.
- 1920. Libby; married Rev. Mr. Cross; living at Springfield, Ill., in 1889.
- 1921. Ruth; married J. B. Hancock, October 20th, 1881, of Grand Haven, Mich.
- 1922. Luez; married Morrison; living at Chicago, Ill., in 1889.

Andrew Beckwith, 1919, living at Spring Lake, Mich., in 1889; lumber merchant.

1923. Hiram.

Homer Beckwith, 1914, born January 1st, 1813; married Mary Ann Sutton, November 1st, 1842; born February 15th, 1824.

1924. Edson L.

1925. Martin; born June 24th, 1849; removed to Lempster; married M. Blake of Derby,

Vt., November 15th, 1877; born September 8th, 1850; living in 1888, on the old homestead.

Edson Leroy Beckwith, 1924, born March 27th, 1848; removed to Manchester; died July 4th, 1886; married Betsy Cahill, at Boston, September 6th, 1874; died July 29th, 1879.

1926. —; born at Boston, April 17th, 1875; living in 1889, on the old homestead.

Benjamin Beckwith, 645, born at New London, Conn., January 13th, 1679.

1927. Phineas.

Phineas Beckwith, 1927, born at Lyme, Conn., in 1701; married Pheebe Wait, September 21st, 1734; died October 28th, 1791.

- 1928. Phineas.
- 1929. Lois; born December 13th, 1735; married M. Parsons in 1764.
- 1930. Sarah; born August 6th, 1738; died unmarried in 1841.
- 1931. Elizabeth; born August 12th, 1742; died May 8th, 1768; married Sylvanus Smith.
- 1932. Richard; born November 28th, 1739; died June 16th, 1810; married Lucy Griswold, 1st wife; 2d, married Mary Wood.
- 1933. Sarah; born July 28th, 1745; died 1780; unmarried.
- 1934. Marvin; born Lyme, Conn., December 16th, 1746; died June 21st, 1815; removed to New London; lawyer; married 1st, Patty

Jones; died March 5th, 1804; married 2d, H. Saltonstal; died July 10th, 1808; married 3d, Nancy Farmer; died April 11th. 1857.

Phineas Beckwith, 1928, born at Lyme, Conn., in 1735; sailor; enlisted in Revolutionery Army in 1777; sergeant 1777; ensign in 1781; married Huldah; born 1739.

1935. Lois; born 1759.

1936. Stephen.

1937. ———.

1938. ——.

1939. ———.

David Beckwith, 607, born at New London, Conn.; settled in New York city, N. Y.; enlisted in Continental Army in 1776.

- 1940. Fannie; married Morgan of Westfield, Mass.
- 1941. Livonia; married Garretson.
- 1942. Eliza; married Carpenter.
- 1943. Sally.
- 1944. Richard Bebee.

Richard Bebee Beckwith, 1944, born New York city; removed to Baltimore, Md., in 1832; ship builder; married Elizabeth Coumer; born in Wales.

1945. Henry C.

1946. John; U. S. V. S., 2d Md. Reg., participated in twenty-two engagements; was living at National Soldiers' Home, Virginia, in 1889.

1947. David G.

1948. Horace.

1949. Mary; married Todd of Phila.

Henry C. Beckwith, 1945.

1950. James; living at Baltimore in 1889.

David G. Beckwith, 1947, born New York city; removed to Baltimore, Md., in 1836; married Mary Edgerton of Baltimore.

1951. Ida; married R. Bradley.

1952. Molly; married L. Benjamin of Md.

1953. Emma S.; school teacher; living at Baltimore, Md., in 1889.

1954. Ella V.

1955. Fannie.

1956. Thomas R.

Horace Beckwith, 1948, born New York city, January 5th, 1828; removed to Baltimore, Md.; married Margarette Hayes, October 6th, 1861; born at Ann Arundell Co., Md., April 27th, 1840.

1957. Wm. Franklin; living Baltimore, Md., 1889: unmarried.

1958. Mary F.; unmarried.

1958a. Ida E.; unmarried.

1959. Margarette E.; unmarried.

1960. Roselle E.; unmarried.

1961. Sarah L.; unmarried.

1962. Horace J.; died August 26th, 1882.

1963. George W.; living Baltimore, Md., 1889; unmarried.

- 1964. Charles E.; living Baltimore, Md., 1889; unmarried.
- 1965. Samuel F.; living Baltimore, Md., 1889; unmarried.
- 1966. Annie V.; living Baltimore, Md., 1889; unmarried.
- 1967. Richard Burnside; born at Baltimore, Md., March 18th, 1862; canmaker; living there in 1889; unmarried.

Richard Bebee Beckwith, 1944, by his 2d marriage.

1968. Franklin; living in Md., in 1889.

1969. Eliza; married Hubbard of Md.

Jonah Beckwith, 587, born Conn., in 1716; returned to England and settled in London and died there.

1970. Jonah.

Jonah Beckwith, 1970, born at London 1746; died there; buried in Old St. Luke's Church, London.

1971. Joseph.

Joseph Beckwith, 1971, born November 11th, 1776, at St. Mary's Stairway, London; married Jane Pittard, June 20th, 1800; married and born at St. Mary's, Islington, London.

1972. Joseph; died unmarried.

1973. Mary A.; died unmarried.

• 1974. Jane; married Mr. Mollett, and is now living in London.

1975. Henry; living at Bedford ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

1976. George.

George Beckwith, 1976, born September 6th, 1816,



at Wilderness Row, London; by occupation a clerk; removed to Erie, Penn.; married Marianne Wigaman, February 4th, 1845; born London, England.

1977. Thomas D.; born at Erie, Penn., November 15th, 1846.

1978. J. Henry; born at Brooklyn, N. Y., March 24th, 1849.

1979. Jane; born at Brooklyn, November 29th, 1851; married Cuzner.

1979a. Minnie; born January 26th, 1852; married Smith.

1980. Polly; born September 26th, 1854; married Slater.

1981. Minnie; born January 26th, 1852; married Smith.

1982. George; born Brooklyn, February 14th, 1859.

1983. James P.; born December 31st, 1865.

David Beckwith, 592a, born Lyme, Conn., in 1742; removed to Geneseo, Cayuga Co., N. Y., in 1829; farmer; enlisted in Continental Army 1776-9, Miller's Co., De Voos' Reg., Mass. Line; wounded during the war; died at Attica, N. Y., in 1834; married Abigail, daughter of Capt. Whiting; born Lyme, Conn., in 1757.

1984. Jonathan; removed to Cayuga Co., N. Y., and died there.

1985. William.

1986. David.

1987. Perry Green.

1988. Warren.

1989. Richard; died unmarried.

1990. Polly; born 1795; died at Barry Co., N. Y., March, 1887; married Noah Bowker.

1991. Huldah; born 1802; married Brown of Ohio.

William Beckwith, 1985, born at Norwalk, Conn., in 1796; enlisted War of 1812, in Gale's Co.; died at Merfork, Brunson Co., Ohio, in 1861; married Anne Herrick in 1819; born 1798; died 1883.

1992. Alonzo; died unmarried.

1993. Marian; married Dr. Nelson of Ann Arbor, Mich.

1994. William; inventor.

1995. Dr. David H.; M. D.; born 1826, in Ohio; living at Cleveland, Ohio, in 1889.

1996. Dr. Ephraim.

1997. Dr. Seth R.

Dr. Ephraim Beckwith, 1996; M. D.; born 1830; settled at Columbus, Ohio; married Fannie Forest.

1998. Dr. Edwin F.

1999. Whitney C.; living at Detroit, Mich., in 1889; lawyer; married M. A. Gaylord.

2000. Charles P.; student at Ann Arbor in 1889.

Dr. Edwin F. Beckwith, 1998, living at Munn, Mich., in 1889; married Kate Burr.

2001. Alice.

2002. Baby.

Dr. Seth R. Beckwith, 1997; M. D.; mining expert

and speculator, in Ohio and Colo.; living at Elizabeth, N. J., in 1889.

2003. L. C.; living at Maiden Lane, N. Y., in 1889.

2004. Dr. Tifft; living at Elizabeth, N. J., in 1889.

David Beckwith, 1986, from Attica, N. Y., removed to Alexander, N. Y.; married Sybell Hodges.

2005. Susan; married Smith; living at Kalamazoo, Mich., in 1888.

2006. Chaucey.

2007. Fanny.

2008. Lenassa.

2009. William.

2010. Eliphalet.

2011. Elmira.

2012. John.

2013. David.

2014. Mary Ann.

2015. Dexter T.

Dexter Tiffany Beckwith, 2015, born at Attica, Wyoming Co., N. Y., in 1823; farmer; living Wyoming Co., in 1888; married Sarah A. Wood, March 9th, 1848; born Attica, N. Y., September 18th, 1825.

2016. Clara Louda; born August 2d, 1855.

Perry Beckwith, 1987, born at Hartford, Conn., in 1796; enlisted in Revolutionary Army 1814, served in Grierson's Co., Porter's Reg., New York Line; died at New Lyme, Ohio; married 1st wife, Delia Springster, in 1824; born Lyme, Conn; died New Lyme, Ohio.

2017. Perry G.

Perry Green Beckwith, 2017.

2018. Dr. Nelson; dentist at New York city in 1888.

2019. Halsey P.; living in Jefferson Co., in 1888.

Perry Green Beckwith, 1987, married 2d wife, Rockwell; born Lyme, Conn.; died New Lyme, Ohio.

2020. Alvin.

2021. Edward C.

2022. Ezra M.

2023. Samuel R.

2023a. Esther.

2024. Elijah.

Elijah Beckwith, 2024, born Lyme, Conn.; removed to New Lyme, Ohio; married Sarah Partridge; born Gustavus, Ohio, March, 1800.

2025. Fanny P.

2026. Joana.

2027. Sarah V.

2028. William; living at Colebrook, Ohio, in 1888.

2029. George W.; living West Williamsfield, Ohio, in 1888.

2030. Elijah P.

2031. Alva R.

Alva R. Beckwith, 2031, born at New Lyme, Ashtabula Co., Ohio, July 14th, 1838; merchant there in 1889; married Joanna Dodge, December 18th, 1849; born New Lyme, January 7th, 1879.

2032. Altha A.; born December 20th, 1852.

2033. Flora A.; born September 6th, 1858.

2034. Alva A., Jr.; born February 28th, 1870.

Warren Beckwith, 1988, bern Geneva, Cayuga Co., N. Y., September 6th, 1799; farmer; removed to Kalamazoo, Mich., in 1806; died there April, 1863; married in Attica, N. Y., to Mary Tyrell in 1824; she was living at Kalmazoo, Mich., in 1889.

,2035. Charles.

2036. Henry.

2037. Phœbe J.; married M. J. McPoor; living at Detroit, Mich., in 1889; had one son, Arthur, who died young.

2038. Helen; married Harry Wells of Kalamazoo. Hon. Charles Beckwith, 2035, born at Alexander, N. Y., July 9th, 1825; removed to Kalamazoo with his parents in 1836; entered Michigan University 1845; graduated 1849; studied law at Holly Springs, Miss.; and practiced his profession in Buffalo from 1854 until 1877; was then made judge of the Superior Court of Buffalo, and finally made chief judge, was living in Buffalo, N. Y., in 1889; married Harriet Dodge, May 12th, 1849.

2039. Mary R.

2040. Jessie Lee.

2041. Fanny L.

Henry Beckwith, 2036, removed to Kalamazoo, Mich.; farmer.

2042. Ray, an artist; living at Kalamazoo, Mich., in 1889.

Benjamin Beckwith, 591.

2043. Alonzo S.

Alonzo S. Beckwith, 2043, born at Hartford, Conn.; moved to Providence, R. I., in early married life, and returning to Hartford, there engaged in financial operations, and was a prominent business man of that place; married Laura Moseley Clark of Hartford.

2044. William C.

2045. Laura C.

2046. Charles.

2047. Henry Clark; died August, 1883; married Clara Brownell, niece of Bishop Brownell of Hartford, Conn.

2048. Charlotte G.; married Daniel R. Crouse of Utica, N. Y.

William Clark Beckwith, 2044, M. D.; died October 7th, 1868; married Jane, daughter of Dr. Leprelette S. Miller. Dr. Beckwith practiced medicine in Rochester, N. Y., from 1851-55; then removed to Providence, R. I.; entered into partnership with his father-in-law, Dr. Miller, and was living there in 1889.

2049. William L.

2050. Walter; died young.

William L. Beckwith, 2049; living at Providence, R. I., in 1889; married Emily Jones; died July 1st, 1887.

2051. Lorania C.; born April 5th, 1887.

Charles Beckwith, 2046; died October, 1884; 1st wife married, Kate Seymour.

2052. Kate; married Strickland; living at St. Paul, Minn., in 1889.

Charles Beckwith, 2046; married 2d, Hannah Boyd Miller, granddaughter of Dr. Nathaniel Miller of Franklin, Mass.

2053. Charles.

2054. Charlotte.

2055. Richard.

Josiah Beckwith, 591, born Lyme, Conn., in 1742; married Mehetible Parsons.

2056. Andrew.

2056a. Joel.

2056b. Joshua.

2057. Richard P.

2057a. Mehitable; b. Lyme; m. Nathan Tinker, February 17th, 1780; he died April, 1792; children: Laurana, born August 24th, 1780; Allen, born December 30th, 1781; Elizabeth, born July 18th, 1783; Jonathan, born June 14th, 1785; Allen, born June 31st, 1788; Mary, born December 3d, 1790; Nathan, born September 30th, 1792; married Eunice Wade.

Andrew Beckwith, 2056, born Lyme, Conn., in 1767; removed to Alstead, and had nine children; married Catherine Shouler.

2058. Benjamin B.

2059. Simon Brooks; born at Alstead; removed to Ticonderoga; married Livonia Dart; born January 26th, 1780.



Benjamir Brooks Beckwith, 2058, born at Alstead, June 10th, 1786; died July 10th, 1831; married Joanna Chapin; died at Alstead, February 19th, 1856.

2060. Alfred.

2061. Olinda; born May 8th, 1810; married B. M. Metcalf, June 9th, 1835.

2062. Oliver; born at Walpole, April 11th, 1816.

2063. Rizpah; born at Hillboro, April 25th, 1821.

2064. Silas; born November 1st, 1818; married and removed to California in 1888.

2065. Edna; born May 6th, 1820; removed to Salt Lake City; married J. H. A. Young; and became a Mormon.

Richard P. Beckwith, 2057, born at New London, Conn., 1776; died at Lyme, Conn.; married Mary Phillips in 1796; born and died in Lyme.

2066. Abel; settled at Hamburg, Conn.

2067. Joel; his descendants were living at Lyme, Conn.; died Chatham, N. Y., in 1886.

2068. Richard; died at Sag Harbor.

2069. Josiah.

2070. John S.; living at Lyme, Conn., in 1889.

2071. Andrew.

Andrew Beckwith, 2071, born Lyme, Conn., 1797; died Aledo, Ill., August 31st, 1872; married Nancy J. Hudson, March 29th, 1820; born Lyme, 1799; died 1871.

2072. Seth Lee.

2073. John B.

- 2074. Richard E.
- 2075. William H.
- 2076. Alfred P.; living at Lyme in 1889.
- 2077. Louisa; married Daniels of Harlem, N. Y.
- 2078. Mary L.; married Lord of Hamburg, Conn.
- 2079. Sarah E.; married Robbins.
- 2080. Harriette C.; married S. C. Amberson; living at Minneapolis, Minn., in 1889.
- 2081. Angelina; living at Hamburg, Conn., in 1889.
- 2082. Ann Maria.

Seth Lee Beckwith, 2072, born at Lyme, Conn., in 1820; sea captain; retired from sea life and entered into the boat-building business, and was living at San Francisco in 1889; married Abbey Jane Le Pard, May 24th, 1846; born at New London, Conn., November 9th, 1820.

- 2083. Ida Jane; born February 2d, 1857; married J. McFarland; living at San Francisco, Cal.
- 2084. George Lee; born January 14th, 1856.
- 2085. Frederick A.; born November 1st, 1859; died young.

John B. Beckwith, 2073, born Lyme, Conn., December 18th, 1824; was in the grocery business at Tulare, Cal., in 1889; married Jennette E. Brown, August 5th, 1855; born Lyme, Conn., October 5th, 1832.

2086. Nellie; born at Tulare, Cal., March 28th, 1857.



2087. Kate; born 1860; living at Tulare in 1889. Richard E. Beckwith, 2074, born at Lyme, Conn., December 13th, 1831; merchant; living at Fresno, Cal., in 1889; married Ellen L. Brown, November 8th, 1856; born at Lyme, Conn., April 8th, 1836.

2088. Alice Rose; born June 14th, 1863.

2089. Grace; born March 5th, 1865.

2090. Eva D.; born June 25th, 1867.

2091. Frank; born January 15th, 1869.

2092. Edna S.; born September 3d, 1875.

William H. Beckwith, 2075, born at Lyme, Conn., April 27th, 1838; living in Saybrook, Ill., in 1888; married Lavinia Cheney, June 11th, 1863, daughter of Hon. W. H. Cheney; born Cheney's Grove, Ill., May 19th, 1844.

2093. W. Cheney; born at Saybrook, Ill., March 2d, 1867; merchant at Chicago, Ill., in 1889; unmarried.

Stephen Beckwith, 1760, born New London, Conn., September 22d, 1760; died in New York; married —— York; born Stonington, Conn.; died March, 1863, age 97; daughter of —— York, who was in the Revolutionary Army and at the Indian Massacre of Wyoming Valley.

2094. George.

2095. Dan.

2096. Hiram Jefferson.

2097. Sebaken.

2098. Hadley.

2099. Minor York.



Dan Beckwith, 2095, born Flushing, Penn.; died Danville, Ill.; deputy U. S. surveyor; founder of Danville; was colonel of the Illinois Mounted Rangers in Blackhawk War; married May J. Williams; born Franklin Co., Penn.; died Danville.

2100. Laura; married Mott; living Chicago, Ill., in 1889.

2100a. Malissa; married Lamon; a daughter May living in Danville, Ill., in 1886.

2101. Hiram W.

Hiram Williams Beckwith, 2101, born at Danville, Ill.; author of "Historic Notes of the North-west Territory," and other local historical and aboriginal works; practicing law at Danville in 1889; married Emily Reeder, March 24th, 1857; born Oneida Co., N. Y., September 19th, 1832.

2102. Clarence H.; born at Danville, June 30th, 1869.

2103. Will.

Will H. Beckwith, 2103, lawyer; born at Danville, March 1st, 1858; married Lynne Williams, December 3d, 1884; born April 22d, 1862; living at Danville in 1889.

2104. Sella G.; born September 6th, 1885.

2105. Dan Williams; born December 25th, 1886. Minor York Beckwith, 2099, born New York, 1798;

moved to Michigan in 1836, where he died in 1854; married ——— Edwards in 1824; born about 1800 in Massachusetts; her father was in the Revolutionary Army, participating in the battle of Bunker Hill.



2106. Mary Eugene.

2107. Mortimore Edwards.

Mortimore Edwards Beckwith, 2107, born Wayne Co., N. Y., 1826; learned the ship-carpenter's trade in Milwaukie, Wis.; worked at that business until 1873; was in business for himself in Racine from 1850 to 1860; in Grand Haven, Mich., from 1860 to 1873; in 1873 he was in Duluth, building dredges for the N. P. R. R. Co.; in 1881 he entered business in La Crone, Wis., as a commission agent and dealer in second-hand goods; he married twice; his first wife was Helen Bonman of Racine, Wis.; she died in 1872, leaving eight children; his second wife was Julia E. Selby, who was born at Blue Earth, Wis.

2108. Harriet.

2109. Eugenia.

2110. Evangeline.

2111. Ella.

2112. Clarebell.

2113. Frank; living Winona, Minn., in 1889.

2114. Fred W.; merchant at Sioux Falls, Iowa, in 1889.

Nathaniel Beckwith, 1906, born Lempster, N. H.; married Eunice Parkhurst; they died within one week of each other at Unity, N. H., in 1830.

2115. Lawson; his children were living at or near Longmont, Colo., in 1886.

2116. George.

2117. Oscar.

2118. Aira; married C. A. Moore, Rutland, Vt.;



children: C. A. Moore, Rutland, Vt.; Geo. C. Moore, Weathersfield Bow, Vt.; Mrs. J. H. Butler and Mrs. Hiram Parker, Lempster, N. H.

2119. Lucy.

2120. Eunice.

2121. ——.

2122. ——.

2123. Ransom P.

Oscar Beckwith, 2117.

2124. Helen; married Kent; living at Eldora, Iowa, in 1889.

Ransom Parkhurst Beckwith, 2123, born Unity, N. H., about 1817; resided at Lempster, N. H.; married Emily L. Parker, May 13th, 1849; born Goshen, N. H., July 2d, 1827.

2125. Hira Ransom; living at Claremont, N. H., in 1889.

2126. Walter P.

Walter Packer Beckwith, 2126, born Lempster, N. H., August 27th, 1850; superintendent of schools at Adams, Mass., in 1889; married Mary L. Sayles, December 23d, 1879; born Adams, Mass., April 26th, 1856.

2127. Francis Sayles; born August 11th, 1881.

Clark Beckwith, 1016, born Conn., August 6th, 1810; moved to Cairo, N. Y.; married Eliza Curtis, April 20th, 1833; born February 25th, 1813.

2128. Celestia; married Hyde; living N. Y. city in 1889.



- 2129. Eugenia; married H. Bogardus; living Coxsackie, N. Y., in 1889.
- 2130. Janet.
- 2131. Devillo.
- 2132. Calvin.
- 2133. Zanoni.

Zanoni Beckwith, 2133, born Cairo, N. Y., November 10th, 1842; hotel proprietor and insurance broker at Cairo in 1889; married Adel Stewart, November 6th, 1868; born Cairo, February 28th, 1844.

2134. Maude; born April 18th, 1871.

Nathan Beckwith, 633, born Lyme, Conn., in 1718; moved to New York.

- 2135. Ransom.
- 2136. Joseph.
- 2137. Elijah.

Ransom Beckwith, 2135, born Herkimer Co., N. Y., August 12th, 1747; married Abadiah Putnam; born in Mass.

- 2138. Ransom.
- 2139. Ethan; born in Herkimer Co., N. Y., 1793; died there, April 25th, 1856.
- 2140. Son; whose descendants were living in Herkimer Co, in 1889.
- 2141. Volney.

Ransom Beckwith, 2138, born Herkimer Co., N. Y., October 25th, 1791; died in Nebraska; married Anna Perkins, April 25th, 1812; born Lake George, N. Y., July 11th, 1798; living in 1887.

- 2142. Delight; born July 12th, 1813; married Israel Burts, January 19th, 1842, of Sartwell Creek, Potter Co., Penn.
- 2143. Jabez C.; born July 31st, 1815; married Anna M. Landinburge, November 18th, 1833.
- 2144. Ransom; born December 7th, 1817; living at Smeethsport, McKeens Co., Penn., in 1888; married Elizabeth Landinburge.
- 2145. Samuel P.
- 2146. Simion; born May 6th, 1822; married Elizabeth Palmer, May 6th, 1844.
- 2147. John L.; born June 20th, 1824; married Lucinda Harwood, June 1st, 1844.
- 2148. Asher M.; born September 17th, 1829; U.
 S. V. S., 1861-5; wounded at battle of Gettysburg; died in hospital.
- 2149. Mary C.; born February 18th, 1827.
- 2150. Thankful; born December 15th, 1828.
- 2151. Olive L.; born April 12th, 1834.
- 2152. Joel B.; born November 27th, 1831.
- 2153. Nathaniel; born August 12th, 1836.
- 2154. Daniel C.; born May 1st, 1841.
- Samuel P. Beckwith, 2145, born January 27th, 1820; farmer, Farmers Valley, Penn., in 1888; married Rebecca Robbins, December 4th, 1841.
 - 2155. Mary Ann; born September 20th, 1845; married R. Ellis, February 23d, 1867.
 - 2156. Charles H.; born February 22d, 1852; married Ella Day, November 22d, 1872.

- 2157. Fannie; born February 5th, 1853; married L. Steinbauer, February 23d, 1876.
- 2158. Henrietta; born February 5th, 1853; married J. Stull, February 23d, 1876.
- 2159. Juliette; born December 11th, 1855; married H. Resler, February 23d, 1876.
- 2160. Westley; born November 23d, 1857; married Martha Coraghan, May 1st, 1883.
- 2161. Rebecca J.; born May 12th, 1860; married B. Stull, October 27th, 1882.
- 2162. Elmer E.; born May 8th, 1862; married Minnie Thomas, October 22d, 1886.
- 2163. Mystie A.; born October 22d, 1867; married M. F. Wright, October 20th, 1886.

Volney Beckwith, 2141, born Herkimer Co., N. Y., February 1st, 1814; removed to Ottawa, Ill.; carpenter and builder; living at Harding, Ill., and died at Ottawa, Ill., April 23d, 1861; married Mary A. Piper, January 23d, 1833; born Herkimer Co., November 5th, 1816; died Ottawa, Ill., November 22d, 1865.

- 2164. Edwin Buckingham; born Herkimer Co., N. Y., December 23d, 1834; removed to Harding, Ill.; married E. Kauffelt, February 25th, 1855; living Marseilles, Ill., in 1889.
- 2165. Daniel.
- 2166. Manly V.; born October 24th, 1843; died at Ottawa, Ill., September 29th, 1858.
- 2166a. Morgan A.; born April 17th, 1845; died August 14th, 1846.



- 2166b. Mary P.; born April 30th, 1847.
- 2167. Andrew D.; born July 11th, 1848; died August 23d, 1848.
- 2168. Morgana; died August 14th, 1846.
- 2169. Mary P.; born April 30th, 1847; married J. M. Kagy of Ottawa, Ill., September 19th, 1865; he died; she was living Bozeman, Montana, in 1889.

Dan Beckwith, 2165, born Herkimer Co., N. Y., October 27th, 1836, on the ground of the great Indian massacre; U. S. Vol. Service 1861-4; carpenter and builder; married Rachel Josephine Ford, July 5th, 1854; born Lowell, Mass., October 5th, 1838.

- 2170. Jessie Fremont; born October 9th, 1856; married Thomas F. Robinson, at Ottawa, Ill., May 20th, 1879; he died at Ottawa, Ill., May 31st, 1884; their children are: Jessie L., born at Springfield, Ill., October 12th, 1880; Volney A., born Springfield, Ill., March 14th, 1882; Thomas F., born at Denver, Colo., February 4th, 1883; Charles W., born Denver, Colo., February 4th, 1883; Albert Roy, born Ottawa, Ill., August 22d, 1884.
- 2171. Charles Sumner; born Ottawa, December 5 31st, 1858; married at Ottawa to Jessie Rowe, October 17th, 1882.
- 2172. Clara Bell; born Ottawa, May 11th, 1862; died September 30th, 1862.
- 2173. Mabel Adelia; born Ottawa, Ill., May 29

11th, 1862; living at Chicago, Ill., in 1889.

Elisha Beckwith, 1359, born Lyme, Conn., October 12th, 1738; removed to New London, Conn.

2174. Ezra.

2175. Samuel.

Ezra Beckwith, 2174, born Lyme, Conn.; sea captain; was drowned at sea in 1820; married twice; 1st wife, Naomi Haynes.

2176. Sally; born Lyme, Conn., July 16th, 1786; died Lawrence Co., N. Y., January 5th, 1849; married Joseph M. Beckwith, No. 1765.

2177. Jeremiah.

Jeremiah Beckwith, 2177, born Lyme, Conn., 1790; died Rome, Ashtabula Co., Ohio; married Esther; born Lyme, Conn., December 9th, 1810; died Rome, Ohio.

2178. Mary Ann.

2179. Priscilla F.

2180. Polly M.

2181. Josiah M.

2182. Ezra G.

Josiah M. Beckwith, 2181, born New Lyme, Ohio, July 20th, 1814; married —— Harrington, October 10th, 1843; born Girard, Penn., May 7th, 1825.

2183. Franklin G.

2184. Elisha J.

Elisha J. Beckwith, 2184, born Rome, Ohio, August 4th, 1849; carriage-maker, South Lyme, Ohio, in 1889;

married Smith, May 12th, 1871; born Colebrook, October 30th, 1852.

2185. Jerry M.; born July 4th, 1886.

Ezra G. Beckwith, 2182, born New Lyme, Ohio; removed to Plattsville, Wis.; married Gertrude Brockaway, December 23d, 1855; born Orangeville, Ohio, March 4th, 1846.

- 2186. Harry G.; born Plattsville, November 4th, 1867; living there in 1889.
- 2187. Clara; born Plattsville, November 4th, 1867; living there in 1889.
- 2188. Priscilla.
- 2189. Mariah.
- 2190. Mary.
- 2191. Kate.

Ezra Beckwith, 2174, by his second wife, Clarissa Mack; they moved to Niantic, Conn.; he had the following children:

- 2192. Elisha.
- 2193. Ezra.
- 2194. Anson.
- 2195. Albert.
- 2196. Noma.
- 2197. Clarissa.
- 2198. Austin.
- 2199. Phœbe.
- 2200. Freelove.
- 2201. Nancy; born 1816; living at Niantic, Conn., in 1889; married Jeremiah Rush.

2202. Charles.

2203. Samuel.

Charles Beckwith, 2202, born New London, Conn., 1783; died Windsor, Broome Co., N. Y.; married Betsy Nichols, October 20th, 1822; died Chenango Bridge, N. Y.

2204. Eli.

2205. George W.

2206. Benjamin.

2207. Charles D.; was living at Frenchtown, Missoula Co., Montana, 1885.

2208. Elias W.

2209. Delia D.

2210. Ruth A.; married Wilmot; was living at Chenango Bridge, N. Y., 1885.

2211. Nathan B.

Nathan B. Beckwith, 2211, born Windsor, N. Y., January 19th, 1827; married Mary C. Dibble, October 20th, 1847; born Fulton, N. Y., August 12th, 1828.

2212 Kate M.

2213. Jennie A.

2214. Charles Nathan; born Windsor, N. Y., June 27th, 1863; hotel clerk, New York city, in 1889.

Samuel Beckwith, 2203, born Marlow, N. H., 1797; when four years old his father moved to Niantic, Conn., in 1801; married Jennie Church; born Lyme, 1799.

2215. Samuel; living Niantic, Conn., in 1889.

2216. Lorenzo; living Niantic, Conn., in 1889.

2217. William; living Niantic, Conn., in 1889.

- 2218. Ezra; living Niantic, Conn., in 1889.
- 2219. Louisa; living Niantie, Conn., in 1889.
- 2220. Belinda; living Niantic, Conn., in 1889.
- 2221. Fannie; living Niantic, Conn., in 1889.
- 2222. Theresa M.; born Niantic, June 9th, 1831; married Benjamin I. Beebee, January 9th, 1850; he died; she was living at Niantic in 1889; their children: James F., born December 17th, 1852; William C., born March 26th, 1864; Bertie L., born October 17th, 1869; Mary F., born December 26th, 1872; John E., born December 15th, 1878.

Anson Beckwith, 960, born Bristol, Conn., September 7th, 1803; carriage manufacturer; died February 27th, 1866; married twice; his first wife was Emily Peck; married July 20th, 1825; born Bristol, Conn., March 9th, 1805; died July 16th, 1851; married 2d, Amelia F. Schubert; born Germany, July 13th, 1831.

- 2223. Eleanor Eunice; born Briscol, June 8th, 1828; married July 10th, 1849 to H. K. Hotchkiss; living Ansonia, Conn., in 1889; children: William H., born April 17th, 1851; married Mary F. Benehor, July 10th, 1876; Emily Bell, born November 2d, 1857; married October 20th, 1881, to William A. Fellows.
- 2224. Robert Anson; born Bristol.
- 2225. Sidney Schubert; born Bristol.
- 2226. James Gaylord; born Bristol.

Robert Anson Beckwith, 2224, born September 8th, 1834; photographer; resided in Norwalk. Conn., died there in June, 1871; married Helen J. Hayes, January 29th, 1862.

2227. Helen C.; born Norwalk, December, 1862; living Meriden, Conn., in 1889.

2228. Sarah E.; born Norwalk; died in infancy. Sidney Schubert Beckwith, 2225, born August 18th, 1853; book-keeper; died December 5th, 1883; married Lizzie Atkins of Norfolk, Conn., in 1873.

2229. Elenor E.; born September 18th, 1874.

2230. Florence A.; born October 1st, 1877.

2231. Sidney A.; born February 21st, 1880; died December 3d, 1883.

2232. Jessie; born May 29th, 1883; died December 10th, 1883.

James G. Beckwith, 2226, born May 6th, 1855; an engineer by profession; married Carrie Terry of Bristol in 1873.

2233. Inez M.; born June 28th, 1874.

2234. Harry R.; born July 25th, 1877.

Nathan Richard Beckwith, 874; his second wife, Caroline Davenport, was living in 1889; they had the following children:

2235. Appleton.

2236. Frank.

2237. Nathan.

2238. Francis P.

Francis P. Beckwith, 2238, born Dubuque, Iowa,

April 3d, 1847; married Augusta Waldeck, June 14th, 1847.

- 2239. Georgia Augusta; born Toledo, Ohio, May 4th, 1877; living at Findlay, Ohio, in 1889.
- 2240. Carl William; born Toledo, March 1st, 1871; living at Findlay, Ohio, in 1889.
- 2241. Nathan R.; born Toledo, June 1st, 1871; living at Findlay, Ohio, in 1889.
- 2242. Jessie Hartha; born Sylvania, Ohio, January 9th, 1868; clerk; living at Toledo, Ohio; unmarried in 1889.

Francis Beckwith, 849, born Lyme, Conn., 1774; settled in Utica, N. Y.; married Sarah Ried, August 10th, 1796; born 1774.

2243. Ried.

2244. John.

2245. Charles.

2246. Lyman.

Ried Beckwith, 2243, born Lyme, Conn., October 9th, 1796; died Utica, N. Y.; married Sarah Welch; born and died in Conn.

2247. Samuel.

2248. William.

2249. Wesley.

2250. Francis.

2251. Sarah.

2252. James L.

James Lafayette Beckwith, 2252, born Utica, N. Y., May 18th, 1824; removed to Chicago, where he was



living in 1889; married Cinderella Noyes in 1845; born Danville, Vt., April 7th, 1825.

2253. Francis W.; born May 14th, 1847; died September 15th, 1875.

2254. James A.

James A. Beckwith, 2254, born June 19th, 1849; was in the insurance business in Chicago, Ill., 1889; married Mary Glover, May 28th, 1880; born Scotland, Canada, October 11th, 1859.

2255. Beatrice; born April 19th, 1882.

2256. Francis L.; born November 20th, 1883.

2257. James L.; born January 15th, 1886.

Lyman Beckwith, 2246, born Utica, N. Y., 1798; farmer, Otisco, Onondaga Co., N. Y.; died 1832; married Martha Watson.

2258. Betsy Ann.

2259. Marcus D. L.

Marcus D. Lafayette Beckwith, 2259, born January 27th, 1832, at Ludlowville, N. Y.; married Sarah J. Brady, born Scotland, Canada, June 29th, 1834.

2260. Mary E.

2261. Sarah J.

2262. Emma; married Edward Lyons; living Five Corners, N. Y., in 1889.

2263. Lafayette.

2264. Jay; living Forest Home, Tompkins Co., N. Y.

2265. Frank.

2266. Lafayette.

2267. Leroy L.



Leroy L. Beckwith, 2267, born Freeville, N. Y., March 25th, 1853; conductor on Northern Central Ry.; living Elmira, N. Y., in 1889; married Eva A. Sperry; living N. Y., 1875; born Tompkins Co., N. Y., August 15th, 1854.

2268. Frederick Clark; born January 30th, 1879.2269. Lena Sperry; born August 29th, 1881.

Nathan Beckwith, 633, possibly the Nathan who was born in Lyme, Conn., in 1718, and moved to Waterford, where he died; married Naomi Winchell; born Waterford 1720; daughter of Isaac and Naomi Winchell; and had one son.

2270. Isaac.

Isaac Beckwith, 2270, possibly the Isaac who was born at Waterford, Conn.; enlisted in 1777 in the Continental Army for three years in Capt. Danon's Co., 1st Reg., Conn. Line, and was at the battle of Bunker Hill; died in 1798; married Grace Edgecomb.

2271. Lydia; married Joshua Woodburn; left five children; son Charles was a Presbyterian minister and settled at Auburn, N. Y.

2272. Jesse.

2273. Naomi; married John Mitchell; left several children living in Bozosah; daughter Louisa married Weldon.

2274. Joshua.

2275. Grace: died unmarried.

2276. Charles.



Jesse Beckwith, 2272.

2277. Edgecome; has descendants living at New London and vicinity.

2278. Caroline; married.

2279. Sallie; married Abner Reed of Windham; children: Thomas, living Willimantie, 1889; Chester, living at Windham, 1889; Robert, who enlisted in the U.S. V. S., and was killed in battle.

Joshua Beckwith, 2274, born Waterford, Conn., March 14th, 1760; settled in Greene Co., N. Y.; died at Calais, Vermont, March 7th, 1813; married Bethia Parkhurst, born March 19th, 1767, at Williston, Vt.; died there.

2280. Matilda; born April 17th, 1787.

2281. Martin.

2282. Betsy; born January 10th, 1796.

2283. Joseph; born April 10th, 1798.

2284. John P.; born January 25th, 1800.

2285. Nathan; born February 8th, 1803.

2286. Perrin; born June 24th, 1805.

2287. Enos P.

2288. Josephus; born February 27th, 1812; died January 3d, 1813.

Martin Beckwith, 2281, born Calais, Vt., July 4th, 1792; married Hannah Latham in 1815; born Pelham, Mass., May 18th, 1790.

2289. Susan.

2290. Laura.

2291. David L.; settled at Burlington, Vt.



2292. Almira M.; settled at Burlington, Vt.

2293. George W.; born Chazy, N. Y., May 18th. 1829; postmaster at Burlington, Vt., in 1889; married Julia Hyde, February 13th. 1860; born Grand Isle, Vt., July 7th, 1836; no children.

Enos P. Beckwith, 2287, born July 7th, 1807; died July 21st, 1833; married Clarissa Lewis at Plattsburg. N. Y., September 7th, 1828; she afterward married Baruch Beckwith of Beckmantown.

2294. Sarah Maria; born at Williston, N. Y.. March 10th, 1832; married S. H. Downing of Beekmantown, December 31st, 1855; children: Carrie I., born April 6th, 1857: Henry S., died 1861; Frank, died 1862: Frank, born August 2d, 1864; Charles A., born January 22d, 1869; Robert C., born July 11th, 1870.

Charles Beckwith, 2276, born Waterford, Conn., in 1781; he worked week days at his trade of a carpenter, and, as he was a regularly constituted Methodist preacher, "preached on Sundays from town to town;" died at Windham; married Sally Palmer, August 28th. 1808; born Windham, 1781; daughter of Enos Palmer and Jerusha Webb, his wife, who was a descendant of Stephen Webb of Boston.

2295. Mary; born July 14th, 1811; married Alex. Crandall, April 14th, 1836; children: Charles B., enlisted in U. S. Vol. Service, 1862, and was killed at the battle of Port

- Hudson; Amos G., living at South Windham in 1889.
- 2296. William Erl.
- 2297. Nancy; born October 18th, 1815; died 1874; married J. L. Weaver, August, 1836; daughter Emily; born July 9th, 1857; died 1864.
- 2298. Susan; born May 16th, 1818; married Lyman Jordan, August, 1844; children: Rev. D. A., presiding elder M. E. Church, Providence, R. I., in 1889; Charles B., music teacher, Providence, R. I., in 1889; Julius, Annette, Lottie, Lyman, Flora, Jennie.
- 2299. Sophia; born May 16th, 1820; married Norman Melony, September 10th, 1848; born March 27th, 1817; children: George W., born February, 1850; lawyer at Willimantic, Conn., in 1889; Flora, born October 21st, 1859.
- 2300. Charles Wesley.
- 2301. Enos Palmer; born September 8th, 1828;
 died 1862; married in 1854 to Marita Smith.
- 2302. Sarah; born November 26th, 1827; married G. F. Braman; living at Willimantic in 1889.

William Erl Beckwith, 2296, born Windham, September 15th, 1813; removed to Groton, Conn.; married

twice; his first wife, Sophia Hewit, he married November, 1865.

2303. William H.; born July, 1837; living at Groton, Conn., in 1886.

William Erl Beckwith, 2296, married 2d wife, Rebecca Halloway, in 1840; she was born in Rhode Island. 2304. Charles W.

Charles Wesley Beckwith, 2303, born Groton, July 12th, 1847; U. S. V. S. 1861-65; officer Engineer Corps U. S. Reserves Marine; died December 19th, 1889, at Newport, R. I.; married Ellen Bailey of New London, Conn., in 1846.

2305. William G.; born April 8th, 1876.

2306. McAuther; died young.

Charles Wesley Beckwith, 2300, born July 4th, 1822; married in 1851 to Charlotte Bass; they had four children.

2307. Fred.; civil engineer Lehigh Valley R. R. Co.; living at Plainfield, N. Y., in 1889.

James Beckwith, 663, born at Coeymans, N. Y., June 1st, 1796; died January, 1885; married his cousin, Mary A. Hyde of Lisle, N. Y., August 28th, 1825; born January 22d, 1799; living at Cazenovia. in 1858; enlisted in the U. S. Army, War of 1812, and served in Capt, Underwood's Co. until 1814.

2307. Lydia Ann; born September 18th, 1826;
married Henry Tuttle, December 25th,
1844; died September 22d, 1884; left one
daughter, Florence E., born May 18th,

- 1850; married Frank Evans in 1872; residing in Shawano, Wis., in 1889.
- 2308. Elizabeth Dudley; born December 22d, 1827.
- 2309. Julia Maria; born July 19th, 1829; married Paul Saleteski, March 30th, 1851; died February 12th, 1875; living Peoria,
 Ill., 1889; children: Ada B., born March, 1854; married Daniel Shane, December, 1871; living Pontiac, Ill., 1889; Elizabeth H., born January, 1855; married George Carrol, October, 1882; James B., born
- Charles, Minn., January, 1884.
 2310. Sarah Emeline; born December 30th, 1850; married John Snow, November 9th, 1873; 2d husband, Hiram Ward, March 19th,

February 25th, 1860; married in St.

1872; living in Cazenovia, a widow, in 1889.

- 2311. James Roswell; born December 23d, 1832; married Catherine Watrous, December 23d, 1861; lawyer, judge of circuit court; living New Orleans, La., in 1889.
- 2312. Calvin Hyde.
- 2313. Mary Anna; born September 25th, 1836; married James Woodfin, of Virginia, June 7th, 1857; children: Madora, born July 3d, 1860; married Fred Powers, in 1878; Edmund P., born October, 1863; married 1886; Elizabeth H., born 1866; married Robert Putney, in April, 1886; James,

born 1868; Minnie, born October 25th, 1878.

Calvin Hyde Beckwith, 2306, born November 29th, 1824; married Mary Louise Newland, October 31st, 1867.

2314. Francis A.; born July 27th, 1868.

2315. Emma L.; born September 22d, 1872.

Joshua Beckwith, 2050, born New London, Conn., October 9th, 1778; was drafted into the Revolutionary Army; settled and died in N. Y. State.

2316. Oscar; born in New York about 1806; died March 3d, 1888, leaving several children who were living in Mass. and N. Y.

Jason Beckwith, 614, born New London, Conn.; married Naomi Caulkins.

2317. Benjamin F.

2318. Jason T.

2319. Regus.

2320. Betsy; married D. J. Kearney; children: Jason, Gilbert, Warren, Abbie, married W. E. Boster of Hartford, Conn.

Benjamin F. Beckwith, 2317, married Eunice Edgar.

2321. Annie E.

2322. Minnie; died young.

Jason Beckwith, Jr., 2318, born 1823; married H. F. Sisson.

2323. Alice; born 1850; married W. Learned; living New London, 1889.

2324. Hattie.

2325. Dr. Fred. J.; born 1858; practicing phy-

sician; died New London, Conn., in 1889; married E. H. Blodgett in 1885; born Pawtucket, R. I.

Seth Beckwith, 600, born New London, Conn., 1755; died Montville, Conn., in 1839; enlisted in the Revolutionary Army in 1778, Captain Ropes' Co. for one year; re-enlisted in 1779, for four months; married Esther Lead in 1781; born 1762.

2326. Esther; born 1782.

2327. Joseph; born 1785.

2328. Rupel; born 1788.



ROLL OF HONOR.

AMERICAN WARS, 1655 to 1865.

BATTLE OF ANN ARUNDEL, 1655.

George Beckwith; with Lord Baltimore's party against the Virginians.

CAPE BRETON EXPEDITION, 1745.

Captain Beckwith; commander of a six-gun sloop.

BATTLE OF MONONGAHELA, 1755.

Captain Beckwith; captain 44th Reg., Royal Foot; wounded in the foot.

OLD FRENCH WAR, 1758.

Major Beckwith; field officer Rogers Rangers; Camp Lake George, August 27th, 1758.

Colonel Nathan Beckwith; officer of day Rogers Rangers; Camp Lake George, August 27th, 1758. Joseph Beckwith; killed during the expedition.

WAR OF INDEPENDENCE, 1775, AND WAR OF 1812.

Abner Beckwith, 1776; for the war, Bacon's Co., Peters' Reg.

Abner Beckwith, 1776; for two years, Connecticut Line.

Amos Beckwith, 1775; for eight months, Sells' Co., and one year in Waters' Co., Parsons' Reg.

Amos Beckwith, 1775; for one year, 7th Co., 2d Md. Reg., Col. Price.

Ansel Beckwith, 1809; Conn. State Troops.

Benedict Beckwith, 1776; wounded at battle of Cowpens, Md. Line.

Benjamin Beckwith, 1812; battle of Lundy's Lane, Md. Line.

Barens Beckwith, 1812; captain Q. M., Va. Line. Cyrus Beckwith, 1775; captain, 2d Reg., N. Y. Line.

Clement Beckwith, 1812; Maple's Co., Conn. Line.

Clement Beckwith, 1813, Adams' Co., Del. Line.

Daniel Beckwith, 1812; Baker's Co., Vt. Line.

David Beckwith, 1775; "hospital returns," age nineteen; Chapman's Co., Parsons' Reg., Conn. Line.

David Beckwith, 1775; "hospital returns," dismissed cured.

David Beckwith, 1776; for three years, Miller's Co., Davis' Reg., Mass. Line.

David Beckwith, 1777; April 10th, Miller's Co., Vere's Reg., Mass. Line.

Edward G. Beckwith, 1814; ensign, 1814, 3d lieut., 1814, 2d lieut., 1814, dis., 1815, rein., 1815, resigned, 1816.

Edward J. Beckwith, 1812; midshipman.

Eno Beckwith, 1775; "ordnance returns," 1st Reg., Conn. Line.



- Everton Beckwith, 1775; ensign, Fellows' Reg., Mass. Line.
- Ezra Beckwith, 1777; for one year, Allen's Co., Webb's Reg., Conn. Line.
- Ezra Beckwith, 1778; for two years, Allen's Co., Wylas' Reg., Conn. Line.
- George Beckwith, 1776; captain in Col. Bailey's Reg., Md. State Troops; killed in battle.
- George Beckwith, 1776; sergeant, Beckwith's Co., Bailey's Reg., Md. State Troops.
- George R. Beckwith, 1812; Army.
- Guy Beckwith, 1780; for five months (paid £35 2s.), 4th Reg., Conn. Line.
- Harris Beckwith, 1777, September 1st; for the war, Stodard's Co., Chandler's Reg.; killed February 19th, 1778.
- Harris Beckwith, 1814; for six weeks, Warren's Co., N. H. Militia.
- Humphreys Beckwith, 1778; for three years, Co. 7, Quinby's Reg., Md. Line.
- Ichabod Beckwith, 1778; Canada Expedition, Mass-State Troops.
- Ichabod Beckwith, 1777; for three years, July 5th, Ely's Co., Battle's Reg., Conn. Line.
- Ichabod Beckwith, 1780; corporal, sergeant August 1st, 1780, Battle's Reg., Conn. Line.
- Isaac Beckwith, 1777; for three years, Darrow's Co., 1st Reg., Conn. Line.
- Isaac Beckwith; Continental Army.
- James Beckwith, 1814; Underwood's Co., N. Y. Line.



James R. Beckwith, 1813; ensign, 1814, 3d lieut., 1815, 2d lieut., 1818, 1st lieut., 1821; disbanded.

Jere Beckwith, 1780, July 1st; for one year, Cheney's Co., 2d N. H. Reg., N. H. Line.

Jeysie Beckwith, 1775; for one year, Bushnell's Co., Conn. Line.

Jeysie Beckwith, 1776; for three years, Conn. Line.

Job Beckwith, 1776; for one year, Conn. Line.

Job Beckwith, 1778; for three months, Conn. Line.

John Beckwith, 1775; for one year, artician in Q. M. Dept., 1776; Lieut. Q. M. Dept., Conn. Line.

John Beckwith, 1776; Lyme, Conn., Militia.

John Beckwith, 1778, May 6th; for two years, sergeant in Post's Co., Hazen's Regulars.

John Beckwith, 1812; surgeon, Conn. Militia.

John Beckwith, 1812; Ohio Volunteers.

John Beckwith, 1813; Adams' Co., N. Y. State Line.

John Beckwith, 1777; Shuway's Co., 1st Reg., Conn. Line.

Jonathan Beckwith, 1775; "hospital returns," age eighteen, fever, Parsons' Co., Parsons' Reg., Conn. Line.

Joseph Beckwith, 1775-6; 4th Batt., Lewis' Reg., N. H. Line.

Joseph Beckwith, 1777; for three years, Lee's Co., Conn. Line.

Joseph Beckwith, 1780; for two years, teamster, Conn. Line.

Joseph F. Beckwith, 1814; for thirty days, N. Y. Militia.



- Joshua Beckwith, 1786; for two years, teamster, Conn. Line.
- Josiah Beckwith, 1814; for sixty days; wounded at battle of Plattsburg, Vt. Line
- Lemuel Beckwith, 1872; for two years, Conn. Line.
- Marmaduke Beckwith, 1777, January 9th; Craig's Regt., 3d Penn. Regt., Penn. Line.
- Nathan Beckwith, 1775; for one year; Sells' Co., Parsons' Reg., Conn. Line.
- Nehemiah Beckwith, 1781; for four months, Stafford's Co., Md. State Troops.
- Nehemiah Beckwith, 1782; for one year, Stafford's Co., Md. State Troops.
- Oberson Beckwith, 1775, November 26th; "hospital returns," age thirty-five, pleurisy, Chapman's Co.
- Phineas Beckwith, 1777; for the War, sergeant in Lee's Co., 4th Batt., Lewis' Reg., Conn. Line.
- Phineas Beckwith, 1778; ensign, Sherman's Reg., Conn. Line.
- Phineas Beckwith, 1781; ensign, 1st Reg., Conn. Line.
- Perry Beckwith, 1814; Greeson's Co., N. Y. Militia.
- Richard Beckwith, 1812; Godfrey's Co., Conn. Line.
- Richard Marmaduke Beckwith, 1812; Weel's Co., Virginia Line.
- Richard P. Beckwith, 1781; for six months, Spaulding's Co., Durkee's Reg., Conn. Line.
- Riswall Beckwith, 1775; for one year, Sells' Co., Parsons' Reg., Conn. Line.
- Rufus Beckwith, 1776; for six months, N. H. Militia.



Rice Beckwith, 1778; for three years, Ode's Co., Allen's Reg., Conn. Line.

Robert Beckwith, 1812; prisoner of war.

Seth Beckwith, 1778; Rhees' Co., Conn. Line.

Seth Beckwith, 1779; for four months, Rhees' Co., Conn. Line.

Seth Beckwith, 1812; N. Y. Line.

Samuel Beckwith, 1775; for one year, Sells' Co., Parsons' Reg., Conn. Line.

Samuel Beckwith, 1776; for one year, Sells' Co., Parsons' Reg., Conn. Line.

Samuel Beckwith, 1777; sea service.

Samuel Beckwith, 1776; Maryland Militia.

Samuel Beckwith, 1776; 7th Co., Manderlon's Reg., 5th Md. State Troops.

Silas Beckwith, 1773; for nine months, Strong's Co., 5th N. Y. State Troops.

Silas Beckwith; for three years, Conn. Line.

Silas Beckwith, 1775; captain, N. Y. State Troops.

Sykes Beckwith, 1775; Md. State Troops.

Thomas Beckwith, 1776; for two years, Lay's Co., Parsons' Reg., Conn. Line.

Thomas Beckwith, 1778, June 16th; privateer service.

Timothy Beckwith, 1776; for one year, Richards' Co., Maydrake's Reg., Conn. Line.

Timothy Beckwith, 1779, June 16th; for the war, Richards' Co., Maydrake's Reg., Conn. Line.

Watrus Beckwith, 1776; Conn. Line.

William Beckwith; lieutenant, Grayson's Reg., Md. Line.

- William Beckwith, 1775; "hospital returns," age sixteen; fever cured, Wills' Co., Willis' Reg.
- William Beckwith, 1794; captain, 16th Reg., Md. State Troops.
- William Beckwith, 1794; major, 16th Reg., Md. State Troops.
- William Beckwith, 1776; Slay's Co., Bailey's Reg., Md. Militia.
- William Beckwith, 1779; bounty \$150; 5th Va. Reg. of Infantry, 5th Brigade.
- William Beckwith, 1812; 3d Reg., Mass. Line.
- William Beckwith, 1812; Gale's Co., Conn. Line.
- William Beckwith, 1814; for thirty days, N. Y. State Troops.
- William Beckwith, 1792; midshipman, ship "Confederacy."
- William Beckwith, 1778; 2d lieut.; promoted June 1st, in place of Thomas Washington, now 1st lieut., from return of officers in Col. W. Grayson's Regiment of the Line and appointment.
- Zachariah Beckwith, 1778; for eight months, Judd's Co., Webb's Reg., Conn. Line.

U. S. Pension Office Records.

Abner Beckwith, born at Lyme, Conn., in 1757; enlisted in 1776, for two years, in the Conn. State Line, and was stationed at Fort Trumbull, New London Co., Conn.; served in Capt. Ely's Co., Everton's Reg., Conn. Line. The company volunteered and

entered the Continental Army. He served nine months with his company, until falling sick with camp fever was sent to the hospital, where he remained until the expiration of his enlistment. He re-enlisted in 1777 in Capt. Hall's Co., Latimer's Reg., and was stationed at Fort Gooston for one month, and was discharged; he afterward served seven months on the spy boat, and was still living in 1832, then aged seventy-five years.

Amos Beckwith, born Lyme, Conn., in 1755. In 1820 was a resident of Sutton, Caledonia Co., Vt.; enlisted in 1775 for eight months in Sells' Co., Parsons' Reg., Conn. Line; served at Roxbury until discharged; re-enlisted in Parsons' Reg., Waters' Co., in 1776, for one year, and was stationed at Boston until the British left that vicinity; marched with his company to Kingsbridge, then to White Plains and the Jerseys, and was there discharged. He was a laborer, and the schedule of his property amounted to \$526.98, and says his indebtedness is \$315. died December 6th, 1823, leaving a family consisting of wife Susannah, and daughter Sylvania, aged 24 years. He was married at Lyme, Conn., April 7th, 1780, to Susannah Truman; she died at Sutton, Vt., September 21st, 1839.

Ansel Beckwith enlisted in the Continental Army when under twenty-one years of age. When discharged, August 14th, 1814, was in the 23d Reg. of Inf. on duty in Upper Canada. In 1818 he re-enlisted for two years, but was discharged on account

of disability, before the expiration of his term of enlistment.

Benjamin Beckwith, born in Frederick Co., Md., in 1756; enlisted in Capt. Young's Co., Col. Johnson's Reg., in 1776, Continental Army, and continued in active service until 1778; participated in the battle of Brunswick Plains, March 1st, 1777, and had his horse shot from under him; was at the skirmish of Quibbleton, and altogether served eighteen months. In 1800 he moved to Morgan Co., Ohio, where he was living in 1832. At that time his family consisted of David, the eldest of five sons. Joseph, a cripple, and two daughters — Livonia, aged twentytwo, Matilda, aged fourteen. He also says that his brother William served in the Continental Army.

Benjamin Beckwith, born in 1791; enlisted in 1814 in Stone's Co., Boatman's Reg., and was discharged at Canandaigua, N. Y., November 1st, 1814; participated in the battles of Chippewa, Lundy's Lane and Bridgewater, and was at Fort Erie, where they cut their way out after being besieged forty days. He married Sally Gresham (now dead) at Elmira, N. Y., February, 1815. In 1871 he was a resident of Claremont, Richland Co., Ill.

Clement Beckwith; at Point Matilda, Penn., July 12th, 1879, appeared Mrs. Mary Beckwith, who says she was born in 1815; that her maiden name was Mary Coogan; that she is the widow of Clement Beckwith, who served in the Revolutionary Army; en-



listed from Milford, Del., in 1813, then aged nineteen; serving in Adams' Co., Delaware Militia; that he was by occupation a painter, five feet seven inches tall, light eyes and hair, and that they were married in Millersburg, February 20th, 1857, by the Rev. Mr. Spottswood, a Methodist minister; that Clement was married three times; 1st wife, Miss Wehly of Easton, Md., who died in Baltimore; 2d wife, Miss S. M. Barry, who died at Point Matilda about twenty years ago. Clement died December 26th, 1868. He resided at Milford, Del., and moved to Belter Point in 1823; lived there twenty years; and then removed to Point Matilda in 1843, where he died. Clement S. Beckwith; at New London, Conn., May 13th, 1878, appeared Hannah Beckwith, who says she was born in 1796; that her maiden name was Hannah Chappell, and that she is the widow of Clement S. Beckwith, who served in the Revolutionary Army; enlisted from Norwich, Conn., August 9th, 1814, in 1st Reg. Conn. Militia, in Capt. Maple's Co., Col. Tracey's Reg.; that at the time Clement was of slim figure, five feet ten inches tall, and that he died at New London, Conn., March 30th, 1863; a farmer by occupation; they were married at Montville, Conn., February 23d, 1817, by Rev. Robert Fargo, a minister of the gospel.

At New London, Conn., 1878, appeared Minnock Beckwith, aged forty-five years, and John Beckwith, aged thirty-nine years, sons of Clement and Hannah Beckwith, and they say they have living three

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brothers and two sisters, and that their mother, Hannah, died December 4th, 1881.

(This application was signed before Enoch Beckwith, probate judge.)

Daniel Beckwith, train conductor of teams in the Continental Army from October 25th, 1778, to February 25th, 1779.

Daniel Beckwith; at Clinton Co., N. Y., May 10th, 1878, appeared Sylvia Beckwith, who says she was born in 1809, and is the widow of Daniel Beckwith, who served in the Revolutionary Army; who was born at Manchester, N. H. (or Vermont); enlisted at Plattsburg, N. Y., in 1813, and was discharged there in 1814; in Baker's Co.; was active in tearing up a bridge across the Saranac river, to prevent the British from crossing; that he was at the battle of Plattsburg, September 11th, 1814. That they were married at Schuyler Falls, N. Y., December 9th. 1838, by Rev. Cloak, a Presbyterian minister. At the time he was twenty-two years old his description was as follows: Black hair, blue eyes, and light complexion, a farmer by occupation, and that he died September 7th, 1851, of heart disease, at Albaugh, Vt.

At Schuyler Falls, N. Y., May 11th, 1878, appeared Henry S. Beckwith, who says he is thirty-eight years old and is the son of Daniel.

David Beckwith; at Genoa, Cayuga Co., N. Y., 1820, appeared David Beckwith, aged sixty-eight years, a resident of Cayuga Co., by occupation a farmer, and

says he enlisted in the year 1776, for three years' service in Col. Baron de Voos' Reg., Capt. Miller's Co., Mass. Line, and that he served his entire time in active service; was mustered out at Fort Plains on the Mohawk river, in 1779. He was wounded in the arm and thigh. His family, in 1820, consisted of his wife, aged sixty-three, a daughter Huldah, a consumptive, aged eighteen, a son Richard, aged seventeen, and a grandson Phibbs, aged eight years. The schedule of his property is as follows:

1 cow,	valued at	\$10 00
1 sow and six piggs	44	8 00
1 plow	4.6	1 00
1 ox chain		1 00
1 axe	44	50
1 chest	"	50
5 chairs	46	2 50
1 kettle	"	1 25
1 tea kettle	6.6	1 00
1 spade	66	62
1 pail	"	50
1 churn	66	25
2 pork barrels	66	1 00
5 knives and forks	4.6	1 00
1 fire shovel	4.6	1 00
6 tea cups and saucers	,	25

George R. Beckwith, of Patriot, Switzerland Co., Ind., April 11th, 1878, appeared Jane Beckwith, eightyone years of age, widow of George R. Beckwith, who served in the War of 1812. They were married

January 11th, 1819, at Patriot, Ind., by one Thompson, a preacher of the gospel. She further says her maiden name was Wade, and that George died at Patriot, Ind., August 24th, 1850.

George Beckwith; at Frederick Co., Md., March 25th, 1833, appeared George Beckwith, born May 16th, 1760, and who says he resided a short time in Prince George Co., Md.; with that exception always lived in Frederick Co.; enlisted in the Revolutionary Army, July, 1776, as a volunteer in Captain George Beckwith's Co., and marched to Georgetown to guard that place against Governor Dunsmore; remaining two weeks, returned, with his company, to Frederick, and with the consent of Captain George Beckwith, was taken home by his father, as he had enlisted contrary to his father's wishes, and was under eighteen years of age. In July, 1778, he again volunteered for six months, in the same company, which was stationed at Frederick, and received a discharge from Captain Beckwith, and was appointed a sergeant in the same company, in Col. Bailey's Reg. He married Annie Clarkson, who was born in 1792.

At Rockville, Montgomery Co., Md., 1850, appeared Martha Beckwith, daughter of George Beckwith, and says he died December 13th, 1849.

Gordon Beckwith; at New London, Conn., April 2d, 1826, appeared Wealthy Beckwith, and says she is the widow of the late Gurdon Beckwith, who enlisted into the Army in 1807-8, for three years, and served out his full time; that he was with Gen.



Harrison in his Indian war, and afterward with Gen Hull, and was taken prisoner on the surrender of Detroit; that he was taken to Quebec by the British, and was exchanged. On his way home he reenlisted for one year, and before that term of enlistment had expired, he re-enlisted for the war in Captain Sweet's Co.; taken sick in 1814; obtained a furlough; at the expiration of his furlough he was too sick to report, and was reported as a deserter. In the fall of 1814, he rejoined his company, and reported to Lieut. Brown, and was with him at the battle of Sackett's Harbor, where he remained until the declaration of peace. He was ordered to New London to be mustered out; on his way there he died. He served in the 37th Conn. Reg., and at his death there was due him \$39.73, being his pay from the 21st of November to the 26th of April, 1815.

(The above application was not allowed by the pension office, and was then brought before the 24th Congress, who, upon investigation, ordered the amount paid to his widow, and removed the assertion that Gurdon Beckwith was a deserter.)

Harris Beckwith; at Rochester, Windom Co., Vt., February 26th, 1873, appeared Harris Beckwith, aged seventy-five, who says that he is not married, and that he was enrolled in the New Hampshire Militia, in Captain Warren's Co., at Portsmouth, N. H., September 1st, 1814, and was discharged December 1st, 1814.

James Beckwith, Cazenovia, Madison Co., N. Y., March

25th, 1871, who married Mary A. Hyde at Pompey, N. Y., August 25th, 1825, by the Rev. Truman Baldwin, a Presbyterian minister. He was enrolled December 8th, 1814, in Underwood's Co., Farmhouse's Reg., Gen. Hord's Brigade, and served until November, 1814, when he was discharged. He re-enlisted at Sackett's Harbor for two months and four days, and was discharged November, 1814.

At Madison Co., N. Y., January 31st, 1885, appeared Mary A. Beckwith, widow of James Beckwith, and says her husband died January 12th, 1885. John Beckwith; at Willet, Cortland Co., N. Y., May 29th, 1871, appeared John Beckwith, seventy-seven years of age, and says he married Anna Perkins July 30th, 1859, at Smithfield, and was drafted into the army at Butternuts, N. Y., September 13th, 1813, into Ezra Adams' Co., Col. Stonehouse's Reg., and was discharged at Brownsville, December 1st, 1813; was in no battles during his entire term of service; he was stationed at Brownsville.

At Willet, Cortland Co., N. Y., May 28th, 1878, appeared Armenia Perkins, widow of the late John Beckwith, and says that they were married at Smithfield, N. Y., by the Rev. Cyrus Stone, and that her late husband, John Beckwith, died December 19th, 1876.

John Beckwith; at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., appeared John Beckwith, who says he was born at Lyme, Conn., in 1763, and is now a resident of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and that he enlisted December, 1775, in Captain



Jewet's Co., Col. Huntington's Reg.; served two years and one month as a private, nine months in the laboratory as an artificer, and one year as quartermaster in Col. Lamb's Reg., and three months as lieutenant on recruiting service under Captain Thayer. He says he was at the battle of Flatbush, in Col. Clark's command, when he was taken prisoner. The command lost two hundred and twenty-three officers and men; they retreated to Mearbanks, and at night continued their retreat to New York. He was discharged January, 1777, after thirteen months of actual service. He then re-enlisted as an artificer in the laboratory, and was discharged in 1778.

John Beckwith; at Perry Co., Ohio, 1878, appeared Isabella Beckwith, aged seventy-six, widow of John Beckwith, and says that her husband served as a staff officer in the Ohio Militia, in Col. Storm's Reg., in the War of 1812; that he volunteered from Fairfield Co., Ohio, and served for more than fourteen days, and was discharged. They were married July 8th, 1819, at the city of Lancaster, Fairfield Co., Ohio, by Rev. Michael T. Stock, a minister of the gospel, and that her maiden name was Isabella Castle; they lived all their lives in Perry Co., Ohio, except at such times that they visited their married children, who at that time were living in other parts of the State. She says that her husband, John Beckwith, died at Columbus, Ohio, December 3d, 1873, and was buried at Somerset, Perry Co., Ohio.

Job Beckwith; at Newfield, Tompkins Co., N. Y., ap-



peared Job Beckwith, and says he was born in 1759, and entered the Continental Army when a resident of East Haddam, Conn., June, 1776, for one year, in Capt. Buckley's Co., Col. Wolcot's Reg., and was stationed at New London, and after serving seven months was discharged; was drafted June, 1778. into the Militia at East Haddam; we go to Rhode Island on the expedition under Gen. Sullivan; on three months' service in Capt. Passfield's Co. The command was to co-operate with the French fleet: to either drive off or capture the British force stationed there; however, before the force was ready to march, a heavy storm came up and dispersed both General Sullivan retreated and intrenched his command; the English assaulted the intrenchments, but were repulsed; after which the Americans withdrew from the island, and he was soon after discharged; Joshua Gates was an ensign in this company.

Joseph Beckwith, born in 1762, at Butternuts, N. Y., enlisted from Lyme, Conn., March, 1780, for two years, as a teamster, in Capt. Ransom's Co. After the expiration of his term of service, he re-enlisted for two years. His father, Joshua Beckwith, furnished a six-ox team, which he (Joseph) drove until two died, and the remainder were captured by the enemy. He saw Gen. Cornwallis surrender, and the British soldiers march out between two files of the American Army.

Joseph Beckwith, born at Lyme, Conn., in 1757, en-

listed in the Continenal Army from Lyme, March 1st, 1777, for three years, as a private in Capt. Lee's Co., Col. Durkee's, Reg., Conn. Line, and was discharged April 1st, 1780, at Springfield, N. J. The schedule of his property is as follows: 1 small house and 12 acres of rough, poor land, valued at \$116; 1 cow, \$12; 6 sheep, \$4.50; and a few articles of furniture, \$10; from his pension he had saved \$40; and that he owes \$52; by occupation a coasting trade seaman; in 1824 his family consisted of his wife Esther, who was born May 22d, 1765, a daughter of Jeremiah and Lowen Wait; they were married November, 1761; his daughter Hepsibah, age twenty-five; Harriet, age seventeen.

Joseph; died August 25th, 1839; age eighty.

At Lyme, Conn., May 20th, 1838, appeared Abigail DeWolf of Lyme, age seventy-nine years, and says she is the sister of the late Joseph Beckwith, and mentions her sister, Lois Beckwith.

At Lyme, Conn., November 23d, 1842, appeared Harriet Haynes, wife of James Haynes, daughter of Joseph Beckwith; her sister, Mahala, married Frederick Champion.

August 6th, 1838, appeared Esther Beckwith,

now aged sixty-nine years, widow of Joseph.

September 20th, 1838, appeared Mahala Tinker, age thirty-three years, daughter of Joseph Beckwith, and says her husband is dead.

Joseph Frederick Beckwith, born in Conn., in 1795; now a resident of Gillman, Ill.; was enrolled in the



N. Y. State Militia, October 10th, 1814, in Captain Comstock's Co., Col. Stoddard's Reg. (68th N. Y.), enlisting for twenty days' service, was ordered to Sackett's Harbor; he resided in Williamsburg, Orange Co., N. Y., until 1868, when he removed to Iroquois Co., Ill.; and lived in the towns of Arbria and Douglas; at the time of his enlistment he was eighteen years old; by occupation a farmer; he died January 27th, 1884, aged eighty-nine years.

Josiah Beckwith, Orange Co., Vt., April 4th, 1871; appeared Josiah Beckwith, age seventy-five years, a resident of Asmuth, Orange Co., Vt.; enlisted November 1st, 1814, at Wilmington, Vt., in Capt. Robinson's Co., Col. Davidson's Reg.; was at the battles of Plattsburg and Burlington, Vt.; thinks he served sixty days; was wounded at the battle of Plattsburg, by being struck by a clubbed musket in the hands of a British soldier, and received a severe bayonet thrust in the right side while on a reconnoitering expedition; his right shoulder became deformed from the effects of the blow of the clubbed musket; he married Martha Plaisteel at Barnville, Vt., August 9th, 1817.

Jeysee Beckwith, born at Lyme, Conn., in 1753; was drafted into Col. Latimer's Reg., in 1775, for one month; was again drafted in the same year for two weeks; in 1776 was drafted for four months in Capt. Bushnell's Co., which joined the Continental Army at White Plains; he was one of one hundred men detailed to prevent the British from landing;

they retreated to White Plains, and after the battle retreated to North Castle, and were discharged; in 1777 was again drafted for three months' service in Capt. Catlin's Co., and was stationed at New London; after two weeks' service, a comrade accidentally dropped his musket on Jeysee's big toe of the right foot and crushed it, rendering him incapable for service, and he was allowed to go home; as soon as he recovered the use of his foot he returned and served out his time.

Lemuel Beckwith, born at Norwich, Conn., October 9th, 1765; enlisted April 1st, 1782, under Capt. Stoddard, at New London, Conn., for two months; was discharged at Fort Trumbull, New London; he again enlisted June 1st, 1782, for one year's service in Capt. Charles Miles' Co; he has resided at Brattleboro, Vt., Enfield, Mass., two years at Une Pasture, Dutchess Co., N. Y., twelve years at Rensselaer-ville, Albany Co., N. Y., and then moved to Hatton.

Army January 26th, 1776, as a private soldier in Capt. Stevens' Co., Knox's Reg., Mass. Line, and served throughout the Canada Expedition, and is now sixty years old; he was a farmer in Ludlow, Hampden Co., Mass., where he was born in 1758; he was afterward a laborer without family or means of support, except by public charity; has no property of any kind or description, except his necessary clothing; is old and infirm, and by reason of palsy deprived of sight and speech; physically and men-

tally incapable of taking care of himself; his pension certificate is now in our possession, and dated May 30th, 1818, No. 11,149.

TIMOTHY NAST, ABEL BURR,

A committee of the poor of the Commonwealth of Mass.

Nehemiah Beckwith, born in Dorchester Co., Md., 1762; enlisted in the Continental Army, September 1781, for four months; served in the select militia under Capt. Staplefoot until 1782; re-enlisted 1782 in Capt. Spadden's Co., serving until 1783, and received pay for fourteen months' service.

Nathan Beckwith; at Waterford, Conn., 1820, appeared Nathan Beckwith, and says he was born in 1747; a sailor by profession; enlisted in the Continental Army, December, 1775, for one year, in Capt. Sill's Co., Col. Parsons' Reg., and was discharged at Peekskill, N. Y., January 1st, 1777.

His family now consists of his wife, Patience, sixtynine years old, and one grandchild, Samuel Beckwith, aged nine. The schedule of his property is as follows: One cow and calf, pledged to pay his rent, valued at \$30; other personal property, \$65.31; and he says he owns neither house nor lands.

Niles Beckwith; at Lempster, N. H., 1818, appeared
Niles Beckwith, a farmer, and says he was born in 1753, and enlisted in the Continental Army, May 1st, 1775, at Mistict, Province of Massachusetts, for three months, as a private in Capt. Stiles' Co., Col. Starke's



Regt., N. H. Line; was then drafted into Rigmont's Reg., and served eight months, and was discharged; re-enlisted in Capt. Scott's Co., Col. Sargeant's Reg., and marched to Castle William, below Boston, and remained there until Independence was declared; then marched with his regiment to New York, and was taken in Col. Hatton's Reg. of Rangers, and remained until taken prisoner by the British at Fort Washington; was placed in irons aboard a prison ship for fifteen weeks; was then paroled and returned home. His family, in 1820, consisted of his wife, aged fifty-eight; his children, Lonine, aged twenty, and Nelson, aged thirteen, non-compos mentis. In about 1819 he moved to Unity, Cheshire Co., N. H.; the schedule of his property amounts to \$89.37.

At Lempster, N. H., September 19th, 1838, appeared Jemima Beckwith, seventy-seven years of age, widow of Niles Beckwith, who died February 20th, 1821, and says they were married December 6th, 1778.

At Lempster, N. H., September 28th, 1838, appeared Warren Beckwith, who says Niles Beckwith moved to Unity, Sullivan Co., N. H., shortly before he died.

Certificate of marriage was dated Lempster, N. H., December 6th, 1778, between Niles Beckwith and Jemima Wedge.

Perry G. Beckwith; at Bronson, Huron Co., Ohio, March rd, 1871, appeared Perry G. Beckwith, and says that he was born in 1796, and enlisted from Greerson Co., N. Y., May 1st, 1814, in Capt. Freeman's Co.,



Col. Porter's Reg., and was discharged at Buffalo, N. Y., November 8th, 1814. He married Della Springster, September 15th, 1824, and died at Olney, Ill., September 15th, 1824.

Phineas Beckwith, born at Lyme, Conn., in 1735; enlisted in the Continental Army January 15th, 1777, in Capt. Lee's Co., Col. Durkee's Reg., for the war; was promoted to the rank of sergeant. He joined his regiment April 30th, 1777, and served until October 20th, 1780, when he was promoted to ensign; his commission (now on file in pension office, 1889) reads, "to take effect from January 13th, 1781," in Capt. Spalding's Co., and was discharged November, 1782. By trade he was a saddler. In 1818 he became blind; his family at this time consisted of wife, Huldah, aged sixty-nine years, and one daughter, Lois, aged fifty-nine, still living with him; his other children have long since left him, and gone out into the world. He was still living in 1818, then aged eighty-three.

His commission in the Continental Army reads as follows: "Phineas Beckwith commissioned ensign 1st Connecticut Regiment from the 13th day of January, 1781, the sixth year of our Independence, and signed Thos. McLean, President of the Congress of the U. S. of America."

Rice Beckwith, born Lyme, Conn., November 20th, 1757, and served in the Continental Army from 1776 to 1780 in Col. Wynkoop's Regt., N. Y. Line, as follows: In 1776 he resided at Manchester, and enlisted



from New Lebanon Springs in Capt. Vishyh's Co., and served until 1777; was discharged at Kinderhook, N. Y.; he again enlisted and marched from New Lebanon Springs to Kinderhook, Sunday Hill, Fort Ann and back to Lebanon, and then to Kinderhook, and was there discharged in 1778; he then volunteered in Capt. Oder's Co., Col. Allen's Reg., and served until December, 1778, and was then drafted into Capt. Smith's Co., Col. Allen's Reg., Vt. Line, serving six months; re-enlisted March, 1780, in Capt. Barney's Co. for one month. At the expiration of his last term of enlistment he returned to Manchester, where he resided until 1800, and then moved to Plattsburg. He says his brother, Grant Beckwith, also served throughout the war in the Continental Army.

The above papers were filed by George M. Beckwith, acting chief clerk of Common Pleas of Plattsburg, and Daniel Beckwith appeared as a witness. Richard Marmaduke Barnes Beckwith; at Charleston, Jefferson Co., W. Va., June 10th, 1871, appeared Sarah E. Beckwith, and says she was born in 1796, and that she is the widow of the above, who enlisted in 1814 in Capt. C. Wills' Co., and served until August 14th, 1816; that her maiden name was Sarah E. Hite, and that they were married September 13th, 1813, by the Rev. T. Mathews, at Charleston, W. Va.; her husband died at St. Louis, Mo., about 1818, leaving a son, George W. H. Beckwith, now living at Charleston, Jefferson Co., W. Va.



Richard Beckwith; at Batavia, Genesee Co., N. Y., May 15th, 1878, appeared Jane Beckwith, who says she was born in 1814, and is the widow of Richard Beckwith, who volunteered at Batavia, N. Y., August 31st, 1814, in Capt. Godfrey's Co., Col. Churchhill's Reg., for three months' service; he was discharged at Fort Erie, September 16th, 1814, on account of sickness. He was, at that time, five feet six inches tall, light hair and complexion and blue eyes, and that they were married October 11th, 1841, by Adam Reid; her maiden name was Jane Porter, and that Richard died at Batavia, N. Y., June 21st, 1866.

Robert Beckwith; at Norwich, Conn., May 2d, 1871, appeared Robert Beckwith, who says he was born in 1794; that he was a seaman in the War of 1812, on board the schooner "Mars," commanded by Capt. Noah Buckley, and sailed under letter of marque. The "Mars" was captured by the British frigate "Shannon" with all on board, while off Cadiz; he was held a prisoner of war for eighteen months, part of the time at Millsville Island, and sixty days as a hostage on board the British ship "Lucaro," and was paroled at Halifax, N. S.

Roswell Beckwith; born at Lyme, Conn., October 21st, 1753, where he resided until forty-one years of age, then moved to Westerlo, Albany Co., N. Y., and again to Cazenovia, N. Y. For many years was a Baptist minister in good standing. He enlisted December, 1775, in Capt. Sells' Co., Col. Parsons'



Reg., for one year, entering actual service January 1st, 1776, and was stationed on the heights overlooking Boston, and could see the British soldiers parading the decks of their vessels in the harbor as if preparing to land, then they dropped down the river evacuating Boston. He assisted in erecting the fortifications, and marched back to Lyme by way of Providence, R. I., where the regiment embarked and sailed for New York, joining the Army under Gen. Washington; he retreated with the Army to Long Island, where he was discharged. He then re-enlisted in a company commanded by Capt. Knowlton to serve "by day and night, by land and by water, open or secret service," and was captured and taken prisoner at Fort Washington, by the British and marched to Harlem, and then with other prisoners sent to New York, and placed in irons on board the prison ship, the "Dalton" until February, when the prisoners agreeing not to bear arms against England until regularly exchanged, were allowed to go home; he returned to Lyme on parole until exchanged, in 1780, but owing to feebleness from long confinement in the prison ship, did not re-enter the service, until he was drafted at the burning of New London. In 1832, he was still living, age seventy eight years.

The application of Roswell Beckwith was sworn to before Barak Beckwith, judge of the Common Pleas of Madison Co., Conn.

Rufus Beckwith; at Chelsea, Orange Co., N. Y., 1861, appeared Rufus Beckwith, who says he was born



in 1764; and enlisted at Alstead, Cheshire Co., N. H., in 1776, in the 1st Reg. of Volunteers, Capt. Nathan Fay's Co., for nine months' garrison duty, at Fort Otter Creek, Vt.; he marched through the wilderness to Fort Pittsfield and was mustered into the Continental Army by Major Tolman; at the expiration of ten months was discharged.

Attached to this application was an old faded leaf of a Bible, upon which was written the following:

Rufus Beckwith; born May 12th, 1764; Thankful Sadie, his wife, January 1st, 1790 (probably date of marriage); Sammie, born December 18th, 1791; Josiah, born May 20th, 1793; Edward W., born September 15th, 1798; Rufus, Jr., born December 20th, 1800.

Samuel Beckwith; at Hartford, Conn., July 18th, 1833, appeared Samuel Beckwith, who says he was born at Lyme, Conn., in 1755. That he and his brother, Roswel Beckwith, were both taken prisoners at Fort Washington by the British, and that he did not return home until January, 1777.

Samuel Beckwith; at Lyme, Conn., June 7th, 1843, appeared John Lay, who says he was born in 1764, and that he knew personally Samuel Beckwith, who enlisted May, 1775, for seven months' service in Capt. Sells' Co., Col. Parsons' Reg., and that he marched to Roxbury and was stationed there until discharged, about January 1st, 1776; he re-enlisted in the same company for one year, and was stationed



at New York, and was discharged there, January 1st, 1777; he then enlisted in the sea service, and was at the capture of the East India ship "The Lovely Lass," and made a heavy purse from his share of the prize money. He was taken prisoner several times, once in Rhode Island, and once in New York where he was placed on board of a prison ship for a long time. He married Polly Greenfield before he returned home, and that he afterward joined Capt. Moody in a government ship, and was drowned at Lyme, May, 1800.

At Lyme, Conn., June 7th, 1844, appeared Polly Beckwith Tinker, who says she was born in 1760; that her maiden name was Polly Greenfield, and that she married Samuel Beckwith, June, 1781; that he died at Lyme, May, 1800, and in December, 1818, she married Joseph Tinker, who died November 28th, 1836.

Seth Beckwith, born at Waterford, Conn., October, 1758; enlisted, 1778, in the Militia, Capt. Bebee's Co., and was drafted into the Continental Army for six months, in Capt. Thompson's Co., and was stationed at Fort Trumbull, assisting in the building of that fort; was discharged April, 1799. He was again drafted July, 1779, in Capt. Wait's Co., for four months; was stationed at Long Island Sound, east of Niantic bay, where he was discharged July, 1780; was again drafted to go in pursuit of British soldiers, who had made their escape from the prison ships, then lying in New London, and who were secreted around in the country; the militiamen succeeded



in recapturing most of them, returning them to prison; he was then placed on guard duty at the prison. He was subsequently drafted several times, serving short terms of service aggregating ten months.

At Waterford, Conn., September 18th, 1837, appeared Esther Beckwith, who says she was born in 1762, and is the widow of Seth Beckwith; that her maiden name was Esther Leach, and was married November 14th, 1781; that her husband died at Montville, Conn., March 15th, 1839.

At Waterford, Conn., September 23d, 1839, appeared Grace Beckwith, the widow of Elisha Beckwith, and says she was born in 1764; that her maiden name was Grace Leach, and is the sister of Seth Beckwith's wife; that Seth's children were: Hester, born October 16th, 1782; Joseph, born January 25th, 1785, and Rupel, born December 27th, 1788. Seth Beckwith; at Easton, Ionia Co., Mich., December 14th, 1871, appeared Elizabeth Beckwith, who says she was born in 1787, and is the widow of Seth Beckwith, who served sixty days in the War of 1812, in Capt. Tallmadge's Co.; at that time he resided at Martinsburg, Lewis Co., N. Y., and was stationed at Sackett's Harbor during the years 1812-He again enlisted for three months as a sub-1813.stitute for one Elijah Soule, who was drafted. Her maiden name was Elizabeth Butler, and they were married November 6th, 1806; he died at Easton, Mich., June 5th, 1856.

Silas Beckwith, born at Lyme, Conn., in 1746, enlisted



in the army with his team to haul provisions from East Harbor Landing to Boston, and had command of several other teams; acting as train-master for three months. He then, with his family, moved to near Albany, N. Y., and was selected by the Committee of Safety of Albany to take charge of thirtyfive men to go north and join Gen. Schuyler's command, then stationed a little below Albany on the Hudson river. He, with Sergeant Butler and twentyfive men, went up the river, and were drawn into an ambush by the Indians; after a skirmish with them they retreated to Albany without the loss of a single man, carrying with them the only man wounded. He was then commissioned by Gen. Gates a captain in Col. Van Ness' Reg., Conn. Line; was at the battle of Stillwater, September 19th, 1777, and was discharged at the expiration of his nine months' enlist. ment. In 1778, he was again selected by the Committee of Safety of Nobletown, Albany Co., N. Y., to take charge of thirty men to join General Washington at Valley Forge; he reported to General Pierson upon his arrival, who advised him to be "noculated " for the small-pox, then very bad in the army, after which he lay sick in the hospital for a long time; getting better, he was placed in a wagon and followed the army; having a relapse, was discharged as unfit for active service. He knows of no one who could testify to the above, except his father, Benjamin Beckwith. After the war he moved to Indiana, and then to Crawford Co., Ill., where he resided in 1833.



At Crawford Co., Ill., December 14th, 1837, appeared Benjamin Beckwith, and says that his father, Silas Beckwith, has lived with him for the last fifteen years, and is now old and infirm, and that his mother died in 1834.

Thomas Beckwith, born at Lyme, Conn., April 3d, 1759; enlisted in the Conn. Militia, September 9th. 1776, in Capt Say's Co., Col. Parsons' Reg., the 3d Conn. Line, called the "Governor's Guards:" remained on duty at Lyme until discharged, January 10th, 1777; re-enlisted January 15th, 1777, to go to New London, in Capt. Lav's Co., Col. Thorp's Reg., Conn. Line; remained there four months, and was discharged; volunteered, April, 1777, for two months, State service, in Capt. Bebee's Co., Col. Thorp's Regt., and was stationed at New London until discharged; re-enlisted, July 1st, 1777, in Capt. Palmer's Co., Col. Ely's Regt., for six months; marched with his company to Norwalk, and there embarked on board a schooner for secret service to surprise the British Fort at Brookhaven, L. I.; the Americans were themselves surprised by British vessels of war, who captured one boat and drove the others to land; after a weary march through the wilderness arrived at New London, and was discharged, January, 1778; was drafted into Capt. Davis' Co., Col. Latimer's Reg., 3d Conn. Line; was stationed at Fort Griswold for four months, and was discharged, May, 1778; again enlisted; this time on the State brig Defiance, mounting sixteen guns, and manned by one

hundred and twenty men; Seth Harding, captain, and Nehemiah Whitney, surgeon; cruised to the Bermudas for one month, and in that time captured two ships, with which the Defiance returned to New London, and after refitting returned to the same cruising grounds for three months; were chased home by a British man-of-war; was then discharged December, 1778; drafted in 1779, and served three months in Capt. Hempstead's Co., 3d Reg., Conn-State Troops; he then, at the expiration of his enlistment, entered the naval service on a privateer vessel for one year. In 1832 he was still living at Batavia, N. Y., aged seventy-three years.

Timothy Beckwith; at Waterford, Conn., 1820, appeared Timothy Beckwith, who says he was born at Waterford, Conn., and enlisted from that place into the Continental Army, for the war, May, 1777, in Capt. Richards' Co., and served until the end of the war, and was discharged at West Point. By occupation a laborer; his wife Lydia is fifty-three years old; their children are as follows: Livonia, age fourteen; Timothy, age ten; Cynthia, age eight, and says his property amounts to \$6.06 in value, and that he owns neither "house nor lands." He married Lydia Newberry, late of Waterford, May 19th, 1789, who was born in 1760, and lived to be ninety-seven years old; Timothy died May 27th, 1825, and Lydia, his wife, May 3d, 1857.

At New London, Conn., July 27th, 1838, appeared Hannah Burrs of Waterford, seventy-seven

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years old, who says she is a sister of Timothy Beckwith.

At New London, Conn., July, 1839, appeared Newberry Beckwith of New London, and Desire Beebee of Waterford, children of Timothy Beckwith and Lydia, his wife.

William Beckwith; at Waterford, Conn., June 9th, 1871, appeared William Beckwith, who says he was born at Waterford, Conn., 1774, and married Amy, at Waterford, in 1793; and that he served in the War of 1812, for thirty days, in Col. More's Reg., 3d Conn. Line.

William Beckwith; at Morgan Township, Morgan Co., Ohio, 1832, appeared William Beckwith, who says he was born in Frederick Co., Md., in 1758, and that he enlisted at Frederick, Md., in the Continental Army, August, 1776, in Capt. Slay's Co., Col. Battle's Reg., for six months; after serving his term, he re-enlisted at White Marsh Crossing for one year, in Capt. Camp's Co., Col. Green's Reg.; was at the battle of White Marsh, where Capt. Bailey and half of his company ran away, the remainder and Capt. McLane, contending with an overpowering force of the enemy, fought their way back to White Marsh, after leaving half their men dead and wounded. He was at the battle of Chestnut Hill, under Gen. Green, which lasted from noon to dark; was at the battle of Germantown. After the battle of Germantown, the British lighted their camp fires, and the Americans then went into camp; William had just

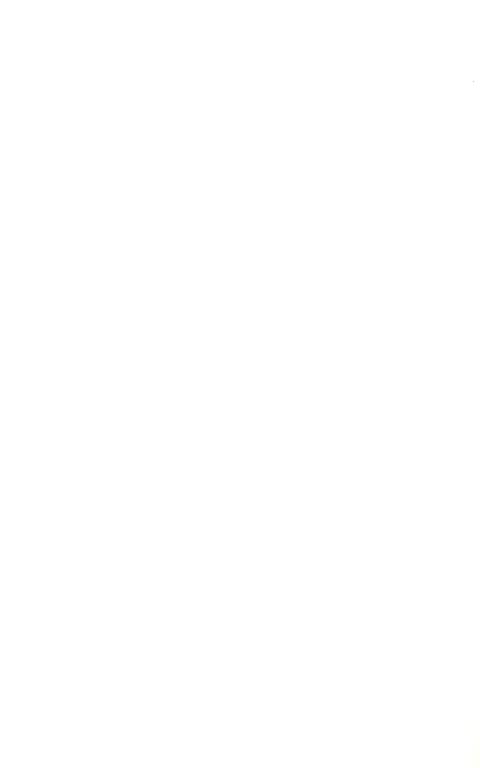


put a cake of dough into the ashes to bake when an advance was ordered, and he was obliged to eat his cake raw, only to find upon their arrival at the enemy's lines that they had retreated. His command arrived too late to participate in the battle of the Brandywine. All the pay he ever received was one month's pay, \$8 in Continental currency. His company was ordered to quell the Tories, who gave much trouble in and around Frederick. He was born in Frederick Co., Md., on Rock Creek, twelve miles from Washington, D. C., and lived there until he moved to Morgan Co., Ohio.

Benjamin Beckwith says he is a brother of William Beckwith, late of Morgan Co., Ohio, who died October 27th, 1836; his wife died a short time before; they had three children: Richard, Tobias and Rebecca; Richard left his father's home years ago and was supposed to have returned to Md.; Tobias died, and Rebecca is the only surviving child, and is thought to be living in New York.

Solomon Beckwith says he is the son of Benjamin and nephew of William, and that he knows that William is dead, that Tobias is dead, and believes that Richard is dead, and that Rebecca is the only surviving child of William; Richard left home about 1819, or shortly after they moved to Ohio; Tobias died in Morgan Co., and that Rebecca is living in New York city.

William W. Beckwith; at Cleveland, Ohio, May 1st, 1879, appeared Dr. C. Marell, who says he formerly



practiced in Huron Co., Ohio, and knew William W. Beckwith and his family, and that William died at Brunson, Huron Co., Ohio, August 19th, 1861, aged about sixty-five years, leaving a widow, Ann Beckwith, who moved to Cincinnati, Ohio.

At Cleveland, Ohio, April 29th, 1879, appeared Ann Beckwith, aged 81 years, the widow of William W. Beckwith, who was in the War of 1812; enlisted in Capt. Gale's Co., N. Y. Militia, Woodsworth's Brigade, and that her maiden name was Ann Herrick.

At Cleveland, Ohio, 1879, appeared Dr. David H. Beckwith, who says he is fifty-three years old, and is a son of William W. and Ann Beckwith; that his father just before his death, was five feet eleven inches tall, had light blue eyes and light complexion, with dark hair; that his father died August 19th, 1861.

At Cleveland, Ohio, April 19th, 1879, appeared Dr. Seth R. Beckwith, and says he is forty-nine years old and is a son of William W. and Ann Beckwith.

Ann Beckwith died March 25th, 1883. Certificate of marriage is as follows: Norwalk, Huron Co., Ohio, I certify that W. W. Beckwith and Ann Herrick were lawfully joined in marriage by me, this 20th day of October, 1819, Robert S. Southgate, J. P.

1815.

Jennings Beckwith, 1815; ensign, 3d lieut. 14th U.S. Inf., May 2d, 1815; 2d lieut., December 14th, 1815;



regimental Q. M., August 24th, 1815; resigned, June 16th, 1816.

BLACKHAWK WAR, 1830.

Dan Beckwith, 1830, May 14th to June 14th, lieut.-col., Ill. Mounted Volunteers.

1840.

F. L. S. Beckwith, 1840; midshipman, resigned in 1844.

1843.

S. M. Beckwith, 1843; gunner, U. S. N.; resigned in 1853.

MEXICAN WAR, 1847.

Lawrence Butler Beckwith, 1847; enlisted in 1st Ark. Vol.; wounded at battle of Buena Vista; enlisted July 1st, 1846, at Washington, Ark., for twelve months; served as a private in Hunter's Co., 1st Reg., Ark. Vol.; was shot in the thigh at the battle of Buena Vista, and was mustered out at Cavago, Mexico, January 20th, 1847.

Edward G. Beckwith, 1st lieut., U. S. A. (see 1861–1865.)

WAR OF THE REBELLION, 1861-1865.

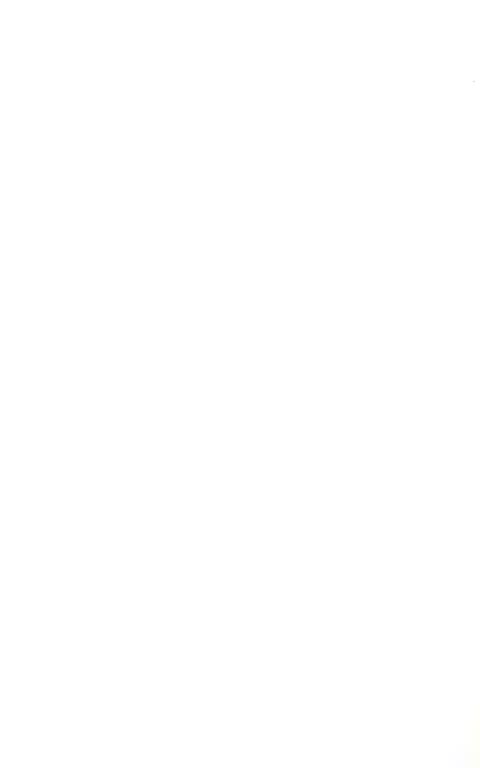
Adolphus Beckwith, 1861; for four years; N. Y. Cav. Albert O. Beckwith, 1861; for three years; 2d Vt. Inf.; wounded at battle of Fredericksburg.



- Amos Beckwith, 1846; cadet U. S. M. A., 1846; brevt. 2d lieut. Art., 1851; 2d lieut., 1851; 1st lieut., 1854; capt. com. sub., 1861; major com. sub., 1862; brevt. lieut., 1868; brevt. brig.-gen., 1865; brevt. major-gen., 1865; col. add. A. D. C., 1856; lieut.-col. asst. gen. of sub., 1874.
- Asa Orlando Beckwith, 1861; for three years; Ohio Vols.; buried at Cedar Hill Cemetery, Ohio.
- Asher M. Beckwith, 1863; for three years; wounded at battle of Gettysburg; died in hospital.
- A. W. Beckwith, 1861; captain 20th Mass. Inf., March 29th, 1862; in sixteen engagements.
- Benjamin F. Beckwith, 1861; for four years; 99th Ind. Inf.; mustered out in 1865.
- Benjamin Beckwith, 1862; 1st lieut. and adjutant 32d Wis. Reg.; resigned 1864.
- Charles Beckwith, September 19th, 1862; for nine months; Co. B, 49th Mass.
- Charles Beckwith, 1861; Conn. Vols.; killed in battle in 1862.
- Charles Beckwith, 1861; Co. E, 18th Conn.; died August 6th, 1864; buried at Staunton, Va., National Cemetery, No. 60, section B.
- Charles Beckwith, 1863; died in Staunton prison, Va., July 11th, 1864.
- C. Beckwith, 1862; 14th N. Y. Art. Co.; died September 11th, 1864; buried Andersonville Prison Cemetery.
- C. C. Beckwith, 1861; corporal Co. E, 4th Vt.; died November 2d, 1863; buried at Arlington Ceme-



- tery, grave No. 75, row No. 7, section No. E, block 2; body was buried on Dr. Fisher's Plantation, Warrenton, Va., and removed to Arlington.
- Charles B. Beckwith; killed at battle of Port Hudson.
- Charles H. Beckwith, May 7th, 1861; 2d Conn. Inf.; died December 1st, 1862.
- D. L. Beckwith, 1864; captain 22d U. S. Veteran Reserve Corps; discharged (disability) 1866.
- Dan Beckwith, 1862; for four years; Ill. Vols.; mustered out in 1865.
- Daniel Beckwith, 1861; for two years; mustered out in 1863.
- David H. Beckwith, 1862; for three years; captain 101st N. Y., November 16th, 1862; in twenty-two engagements.
- David L. Beckwith, 1862; for two years; 2d R. I.; prisoner at battle of the Wilderness.
- David O. Beckwith, 1861; 2d lieut. 57th N. Y. Inf., October 4th, 1861.
- E. Beckwith, 1861; corporal 6th Mich., Co. I; died May 31st, 1864; buried in Andersonville Prison Cemetery.
- Edward Griffen Beckwith, 1842; cadet U. S. M. A.; 2d lieut. 3d Art., July 1st, 1842; 1st lieut., June 18th, 1846; captain, May 12th, 1855; col. add. aid-de-camp July 5th, 1862; major 2d Art., February 8th, 1864; brevt. lieut.-col., brevt. col. and brevt. brig.gen., March 13th, 1865, for faithful and meritorious services during the war; mustered out as colonel add. aid-de-camp May 31st, 1866.



- F. Beckwith, November 8th, 1862; 94th N. Y., Co. H; buried at Military Asylum, D. C.
- Francis E. Beckwith, Jr., July 13th, 1864; for one hundred days; Co. A, 8th Mass. Inf.; aged eighteen.
- Francis Beckwith; Co. F, 13th Conn.; died September 5th, 1864; buried at St. Louis, Mo.; section 32, No. 134.
- Frank Beckwith, June 16th, 1864; Co. D, 13th Conn.
- G. Beckwith, 1861; 58th Penn.; died July 31st, 1864; buried at Hampton Cemetery, Va.
- George Beckwith, 1861; 6th Mich., Co. C; died June 23d, 1864; buried at Lynchburg, Va.
- George C. Beckwith, 1861; Vt. Vols.; wounded at battle of Fredericksburg; died in hospital, 1864.
- George C. Beckwith, 1861; for the war; 2d Vt. Reg.; wounded at battle of Fredericksburg; died in hospital, 1864.
- George L. Beckwith, 1861; for three years; 2d lieut., 4th N. Y. Cav.; December 31st, 1862.
- George H. Beckwith, 1861; for three years; 1st lieut. 13th Wis.
- George W. Beckwith; Ind. Volunteers; mustered out in 1865.
- George W. Beckwith, 1861; for the war; 16th N. Y., Co. E; died September 1st, 1862; buried at Philadelphia, Penn.
- Gilbert Beckwith, 1861; for the war; 10th Mich., Co. C; died May 16th, 1862; buried at St. Louis, Mo., section 52, No. 50.

- Henry Beckwith, 1861; for three years; Ohio Vol.; mustered out in 1864.
- Henry A. Beckwith, 1862; 1st lieut. 21st Mass. Reg., September 5th, 1862; in fourteen engagements; died of wounds received at battle of Chantilly, Va., September 5th, 1862.
- Henry C. Beckwith, 1862; 3d ass't eng. U. S. N., June 27th, 1862; 2d ass't eng., 1863; 1st ass't eng., 1868; retired in 1874.
- Henry G. Beckwith, 1861; 29th Ohio Reg.; died March 28th, 1862; buried September 12th, at Winchester National Cemetery; drowned in Sleepy Creek, Va.
- Henry M. Beckwith, 1862, March 10th; 1st Conn. Art.; died Oct. 10th, 1863.
- Herbert E. Beckwith, 1861; 10th Conn.; served eighteen months; transferred to 2d Mass. Heavy Art.; corporal 2d Mass. Art.; prisoner at Plymouth, N. C.; eight months in prison at Andersonville and Florence, Ala.: paroled 1864, and died on his landing at Annapolis, Md., December 30th, 1864.
- Herbert D. Beckwith, 1862; 57th Mass., Co. F; died Jan. 17th, 1865; buried at Poplar Grove National Cemetery, Petersburgh, Va.; disinterred from Ruffin's Plantation, Va.
- Ira M. Beckwith, 1862; January 22d; discharged January 23d, 1863.
- James Beckwith, 1861; for four years; N. Y. Vol.; mustered out in 1865.
- James Beckwith, 1861; for the war; 105th N. J., Co.

- C; died October 9th, 1862; buried at Cave Hill Cemetery, Ky.
- J. Beckwith, 1861; for the war; Scott's 900; died June 26th, 1864; buried at Military Asylum, D. C.
- J. C. Beckwith, 1864; for 3 years; captain, 187th N.Y. Inf., October 11th, 1864.
- J. E. Beckwith, 1862; 31st Ill., Co. I; died July 21st, 1864; buried at Atlanta, Ga., Nat. Cem., No. 581.
- J. H. Beckwith, 1861; 177th N. Y. Inf., Co. C; died August 19th, 1864; buried at Port Hudson Nat. Cem., La.
- J. P. Beckwith, 1861; 52d Mass., Co. F; died December 2d, 1862, aged 39; buried in New York; mustered out, October 11th, 1862.
- John Beckwith, 1861; 8th Ind., Co. I; died Huntsville, Ala., 1862.
- John Beckwith, 1861; 179th N. Y., Co. C; died June 26th, 1165; buried Nat. Cem. at Alexandria, Va.
- John Beckwith, 1861; for three years; Conn. Vol.; wounded in foot.
- John Beckwith, 1863; for one year; 102d Ohio; mustered out in 1864.
- John Beckwith, 1861; 2d Md. Reg. of Inf., twentytwo engagements; mustered out in 1865.
- John A. Beckwith, 1861, October 5th; 8th Conn.; wounded and discharged on account of disability, in 1864.
- John H. Beckwith, 1863, December 29th; for three years, age 18; Co. K, "New Batt.," Mass. Cav. (received \$325 bounty).

- John H. Beckwith, 1864; captain 2d Reg., U. S. A.; organized in Va., 1864; resigned 1864.
- John W. Beckwith, 1863, September 15th; for nine months; 66th Mass., Co. C, age 30.
- John W. Beckwith, 1863, July 18th; for three years; 2d Art., Mass. Vol., Co. A; mustered out, disability.
- Joseph Beckwith, 1861; 14th Inf., U. S. A., Co. B: died January 18th, 1862; buried Nat. Cem. at Alexandria, Va.
- L. Beckwith, 1861; 14th Ill. Inf., Co. C; died November 13th, 1863; buried at Camp Grove Cem., section B, grave No. 40.
- Laban Beckwith, 1861; for three years; Ohio Vol.; sunstruck and mustered out, disability.
- Lafayette Beckwith, 1861; 114th N. Y., Co. B; died near New Orleans, La., October 5th, 1863; buried in Monument Nat. Cem., Charlemette, La.
- Lewis Beckwith, 1862, January 7th; captain, Co. D, Veteran Batt.; commissioned May 21st, 1863.
- Lewis Beckwith, 1862; captain, 13th Conn., December 11th, 1862.
- Lewis A. Beckwith, 1865; 2d lieut., 14th W. Va. Inf.
 Lewis C. Beckwith, 1861; for three years; 2d lieut.
 1st Batt. Mountaineers, Cal.; resigned November 23d, 1864.
- Lad W. Beckwith, 1861; surgeon 38th Ind.; resigned 1863.
- Lowell A. Beckwith, November 28th, 1864; for one year; 1st Batt. Heavy Art. Mass., Co. C; aged 19; bounty \$218.



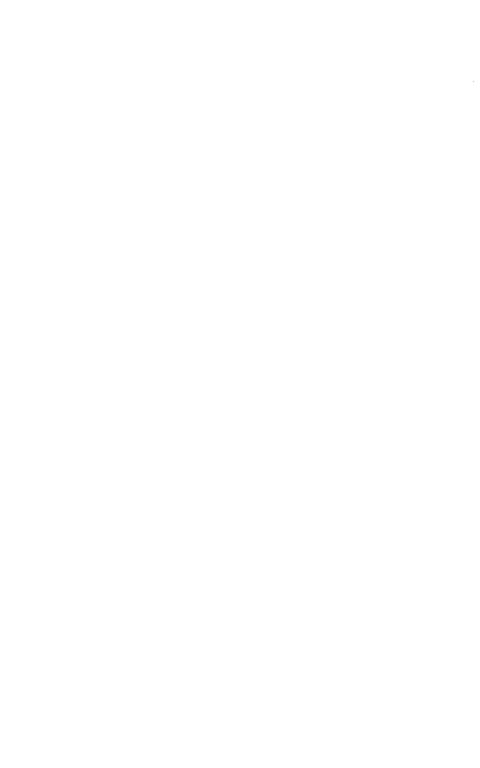
- Martin Beckwith, 1861; 8th Ind. Cav., Co. I; buried at Nashville, Tenn., Nat. Cem., section 36, No. 803.
- Martin Beckwith, 1861; 125th Ohio, Co. I; died May 1st, 1864; buried at Winchester, Va., Nat. Cem.
- Milan H. Beckwith, 1861; for three years; 2d Vt. Inf.; mustered out in 1864.
- Nicholas Beckwith, 1861; 11th Ill., Co. A; died January 13th, 1862; buried at St. Louis Nat. Cem., section 28, No. 115.
- Paul Beckwith, 1861; served one month in General Fremont's Command, as a volunteer, during the Missouri campaign, age 14.
- Robert Beckwith; Conn. Vols.; killed in battle.
- Robert S. Beckwith, May 1st, 1861; for three months; aged 21; 5th Mass. Inf., Co. B.
- R. S. Beckwith, 1861; 2d lieut., 20th Mass., December 31st, 1862; in thirty-one engagements; died from wounds received at battle of Fredericksburg, Va.
- Reuben R. Beckwith, 1864; captain 38th Wis., September 26th, 1864.
- Rufus H. Beckwith, July 20th, 1864; for one hundred days; aged 34; 42d Mass. Inf., Co. D.
- Rufus Beckwith, Jr., 1862; 12th N. Y. Cav., Co. B; killed May 13th, 1865; buried at Cypress Hill Nat. Cem., L. I.
- S. Beckwith, 1861; 9th N. Y., Co. A; died June 21st, 1863; buried at Military Asylum, D. C.
- Samuel R. Beckwith, 1862; for three years; captain, 150th Penn., June 26th, 1864; in twelve engagements; mustered out in 1865.



- Solomon Beckwith, 1861; for four years; 161st Ohio; mustered out in 1865.
- Stephen Beckwith, 1862; captain 101st Ohio Inf.; resigned in 1864.
- Stewart W. Beckwith, 1861; 14th U. S. Inf., Co. B; died January 6th, 1862; buried Nat. Cem., Alexandria, Va.
- Sylvester G. Beckwith, 1862; for three years; 1st lieut. 23d Iowa Inf.; died of wounds received at battle of Big Black River, Miss., July, 1863.
- Theodore L. Beckwith, 1862; for nine months; captain 28th Mass.; in eleven engagements.
- Timothy Beckwith, 1864; for one year; 76th Penn.; mustered out at Raleigh, N. C., in 1865.
- W. Beckwith; buried at City Point Nat. Cem., Va.
- W. Beckwith, 1861; 189th N. Y., Co. D; buried at Camp Point Nat. Cem., Va., section D, division 1, grave No. 119.
- Warren Beckwith, 1862; for three years; captain 4th Iowa Cav., May 20th, 1863; was in fourteen engagements.
- William Beckwith, May 7th, 1864; aged twenty-five; transferred to U. S. Navy, April 23d, 1864.
- William Beckwith, December 22d, 1863; 22d Conn. Cav.; mustered out July 15th, 1865.
- William F. Beckwith, 1861; 64th Ohio Inf.; killed at battle of Rocky Face Ridge.
- William G. Beckwith, August 21st, 1862; enlisted at Grand Rapids, Mich.



- William H. Beckwith, 1861; captain 80th N. Y., June 10th, 1862; in fourteen engagements.
- William L. Beckwith, 1861; for four years; 140th N.Y. Inf.; mustered out in 1865.
- William W. Beckwith, 1861; for three years; captain 35th N. Y. Inf., October 8th, 1862.
- Wright Beckwith, 1862; 2d lieut. 7th Mo. Cav.; mustered out in 1865.
- William Beckwith, 1861; U. S. ship Scotia; quarter-master on gunboat Hendrick Hudson; discharged for disability in 1865.
- Herbert E. Beckwith, clerk; eighteen years of age; son of Elisha Beckwith of Norwich, Conn.; served eighteen months in the 10th Conn. Reg. of Inf., and subsequently as corporal in the 2d Mass. Heavy Artillery. He was taken prisoner at Plymouth, N. C., and confined for eight months at Andersonville and Florence, Ala., prisons, where he suffered severely for food and clothing. He was paroled, landing at Annapolis, Md., where he rallied, but died six days afterward, December 30th, 1864, aged twenty-one years. At Andersonville he wrote in his journal: I fancy at times I hear the bells of Norwich. [Norwich, Conn., in the War.
- Lewis Beckwith; enlisted from New London, Conn., January 7th, 1862; sergeant 1862; 2d lieut. Co. K, January 27th, 1863; captain assigned to Co. D, Veteran Battalion, May 21st, 1863. Lieut. Beckwith, while trying his skill with the musket, was struck by a bullet, which carried away his big toe. His



language on the occasion was slightly profane. [History of the 13th Conn. Reg.

William G. Beckwith; enlisted from Grand Rapids,
Mich., August 21st, 1862; sergeant Co. B, 5th Mich.
Cav., 1863; 1st lieut., April 14th, 1865. Lieut.
Beckwith was not mustered out as an officer, as he was absent on sick leave when his company was mustered out. [Conn. in the Rebeilion.

On the night of March 3d, 1865, Mr. Lincoln and several members of his cabinet were in attendance at the Capitol awaiting final passage of bills by Congress in order that they might receive the presidential signature. Every one was happy at a prospect of an early re-establishment of peace, Gen. Grant having just telegraphed a glowing account of his successes, and his control of the situation. While felicitating each other on the approaching cessation of hostilities, a second dispatch was handed to Mr. Stanton from Gen. Grant. The telegram advised him of the receipt of a letter from General Lee, requesting an immediate interview, with a view to the re-establishment of peace between the two sections, in answer to which the President wrote the following dispatch, handing it to Mr. Stanton, who signed, sealed and forwarded it, which ran as follows: "The President directs me to say to you that he wishes you to have no conference with Gen. Lee, unless it be for the capitulation of Gen. Lee's army or on some minor or purely military matter. He instructs me to say, you are not to decide, discuss or confer on any political question; the



President holding the decision of these questions in his own hands, and will submit them to no military conference or convention, and you are to press to the utmost of your ability, your military advantage." On the succeeding day the following dispatch was received from Gen. Grant, in cipher as follows:

March 4 6.30.

Mr. Eckert 4:30 Washington:

Name to you ditto me most Annie A price ditto because Senate considered too green pink or blue of affidavits yellow. My Davenport honoring by struck oil increase that eat it etta Willie to will can loaf a black Provost Marshall Hayden sexton Kirkwoods No sing my eggs chum had subject matter before Mary of Denmark by that press of circumstances may I gambol the buff cravat foreign proposed know the solid ability all act meal copy hampered Sallie Sinclair resembles duplicate which I justice demolished neither auther platina Tom him kisses nearest neighbor Ira Denmark was arrive under thought prevent assure to letter magnify panic.

S. H. Beckwith.

TRANSLATION.

CTTY POINT, March 4, 1865, 4:30 P. M.

Hon. E. M. Stanton, Secretary of War:

Your dispatch of the 3d, midnight, received. I have a letter to Gen. Lee, copy of which will be sent you by to-morrow's mail. I can assure you that no act of the



enemy will prevent me pressing all advantages gained to the utmost of my ability. Neither will I, under any circumstances, exceed my authority, or in any way embarrass the Government. It was because I had no right to meet Gen. Lee on the subject proposed by him that I referred the matter for instructions.

U. S. GRANT, Lieutenant-General.

"The real Lincoln." By Ward E. Lemon.

Upon inquiry at the War Department they could give me no further information.

Confederate States Army, 1861–1865

Anson G. Beckwith, 1862; sergeant 23d Tenn., killed at battle of Chickamauga.

Frank Beckwith, 1863; 3d Va. Inf., 1863-5.

Frank Beckwith; killed in the war.

Hays Beckwith; colonel 20th Va. Inf., 1861-1865.

Julian R. Beckwith, 1861; killed at battle of Seven Pines.

Lawrence Beckwith, 1861; Wade Hampton's Legion.

Newton Beckwith, 1861; 30th Va. Reg. Inf.

John Beckwith, 1861; killed in Virginia.

Samuel G. Beckwith, 1861; for three years; 54th Tenn. Inf.; prisoner at Fort Donaldson.

THE PERCYS.

This family derived their name from the village of Percy, near Villedieu in Normandy. They deduced their pedigree from Geoffrey, son of Manifred, a Dan-



ish chieftain, who assisted Rollo, in 912 in subjugating that principality, and acquired considerable possessions there. William de Percy accompanied the Conqueror from Normandy and obtained from him a Barony of thirty Knights fees, and became a feudal Lord of England. This William de Percy was also known by the name of "Als Gernon" or William with the whiskers; he re-founded the Abbey of St. Hilda in Yorkshire, of which his brother, Serbo de Percy, was Prior. Accompanying Duke Robert in his first crusade in 1096, he died at Mountjoy, near Jerusalem, leaving five sons and a daughter, by his wife Emma de Post, a lady of Saxon descent, whose lands were amongst those bestowed upon him by the Conqueror, and according to an ancient writer, "he wedded hyrr that was very heire to them, in discharging of his conscience." He was succeeded by his son Alan de Percy, 2d Baron, surnamed "The great Allan, he married Emma, daughter of Gilbert de Gaunt (which Gilbert was son of Baldwin, Earl of Flanders, and nephew of Queen Maud, wife of William the Conqueror), and was succeeded by his eldest son, William de Percy, at whose decease, the eldest branch of the first race of Percys from Normandy became extinct in the male line, and their great inheritance became devolved upon his Lordship's two daughters. Maude married the Earl of Warwick, who died in the Holy Land in 1184, sans issue; Agnes de Percy married Jocelaine, brother of Queen Adeliza, second wife of Henry the first, and son of Geoffrey de Bouillon, Duke of Lower Brabant, and



Count of Brabant who was descended from the Emperor Charlemagne. Lady Agness who only consent to this alliance upon condition that Jocelaine should adopt either the surname or arms of Percy, the former of which, the old tradition says, he accordingly assumed and retained his paternal coat, in order to perpetuate his claim to the principality of his father, should the elder branch of the reigning family become extinct. The ancient arms of Hainault, the Lord retained, and gave his children the surname of "Perci" he left several children.

Henry the eldest son, who appears to have died before his mother, married Isabel, daughter of Adam Bruce, Lord of Skelton, by whom he had the Manor of Levington, for which he and his heirs, were to repair to Skelton Castle, every Christmas day, and to lead the lady of the Castle, from her chamber to the chapel to Mass, and thence to her chamber again, and after dining with her depart.

The family merging into the house of the Earls of Northumberland became one of the most illustrious of England. It is of this family, we have the Sir Henry Percy, so well known as "Harry Hotspur" that was killed at the battle of Shrewsbury in 1403. [Burke's

Peerage of England.

TONBRIDGE.

Richard de Tonbridge called allso Richard de Benefactor, or Richard filius Giliberti, or Richard de Clare, eldest son of Gilbert Earl of Brion, in Normandy, was at the battle of Hastings, and was also a large land-



owner or chief tenant of the king's lands. [First Survey of Domesday Book.

BRUCE.

Sir Robert Brus a Noble Norman Baron, who accompanied the Conqueror from Normany, and obtained no less than 9 Lordships in the County of Yorkshire, of which Skelton Castle and Manor, was one and the chief, allso the manors of Hert and Hertness, in the Bishopric of Durham. He married first Agnes daughter of Falk Pasquall and had Adam who succeeded to the estates, and whose male line terminated in 1271, with Peter de Brus whose vaste estates reverted to his 4 sisters as coheiresses, viz. Margarette who marries Sir L. Peter Brus. Agness who married Walter Falconridge, Lucy who married John Baliol. Sir Robert Brus married secondly, Agnes Armand, a great Scottish heiress, by whom he acquired the Lordships of Anandale, which, with Hert and Hertness he bestowed upon his son Robert de Brus, of whom but little is known, save benefactions to the church. He was succeeded by his son William de Brus, who is noticed for his religious grants, he was living at the close of the 12th century, and was succeeded by his son Robert Brus, who married Isabella, daughter of David Earl of Huntington, niece of William of Scotland, and one of the sisters of John Earl of Huntington and last Count Palatinate of Durham. [Burke's Peerage of England.



From Blount's "Fragmentatis Antiquitis." London, p. 432.

Hercules de Maltbiss, married Beckwith daughter of Sir William Bruce Lord of Uglebarby, descendant of Sir Robert Bruce -- a noble norman Knight of Skelton Castle Cleveland, this Sir William de Bruce appears to have inherited a considerable portion of the lands granted by William the Conqueror to his ancestor Sir Robert de Bruce Lord of Skelton Castle in Cleveland a noble norman Knight, ancestor of the Bruces of Scotland, for we find that his daughter was heiress of Uglebarby and Roxby, and manors of Beckwith & Beckwith Shaw, which are mentioned among the possessions originally granted Sir Robert de Bruce, with these possessions are mentioned lands in Lewiston or Levington which must have formed part of the inheritance of Sir William de Bruce, which was conveyed by his daughter's marriage to Sir Hercules de Malbisse, and is now possessed by the lineal descendant of Sir-Hercules de Malbie, the present Col. Beckwith of Tremden, this estate is held by "Feudal Tenure" viz that the eldest son of the possessor, should hold the King's stirrups whenever his majesty may come into the north Riding of Yorkshire.

LEVINGTON CO. OF YORK.

Adam de Brus, lord of Skelton gave in marriage with his daughter Isabel to Henry de Percy, eldest son and heir of Jocelin de Lorain (ancestor to the present

Duke of Northumberland), the manor of Levington, for which he and his heirs were to repair to Skelton Castle every Christmas Day, and lead the lady of that Castle from her chamber to the Chapel, to mass, and thence to her chamber again, and after dining with her to depart. (Temp Ricardus I. Collins' peerage, vol. II, p. 297; edit. 5, page 505.)

The late Woodifield Beckwith Esq, (who as well as the Editor were descendants of this portion of the Bruce family), was seized of an Estate at Knife Levington, *alias* Castle Levington near Gorm Co. York in 1779.

HARTLEPOOL, Co. OF DURHAM.

Robert de Brus hath at Hartlepool, in the County of Durham, a seaport, and there takes Keelage to wit, of every ship with a boat arriving there eightpence; and of every ship without a boat fourpence. (Edwardus I.)

WHITBY CO OF YORK, P. 557.

In the fifth year of the reign of King Henry II., after the conquest of England by William Duke of Normandy, the Lord of Uglebarby, then called William de Bruce (of the family of Bruce or Brus, of Skelton Castle) founded a Chantry in the Church of Pickering, Co York to pray for his soul, his ancestors souls, and all christian souls (in which church his monument yet remains).

The lord of Snaynton, called Ralph de Percy, and a gentleman freeholder, called Allotson, did, on the 16th



day of October, meet to hunt the wild boar, in a certain wood or desert called Eskdale Side: the wood or place did belong to the Abbot of the Monastery of Whitby, who was then called Sedman, and abbot of the same place.

Then the aforesaid gentlemen did meet with their hounds and boar-staves in the place aforesaid, and there found a great wild boar, and the hounds did run him very hard near the chapel and hermitage of Eskdale Side, where there was a Monk of Whitby, who was a hermit; and the boar being so hard pushed took in at the chapel door, and there laid down and died immediately, and the hermit shut the hounds out of the chapel, and kept himself at his meditation and pravers: the hounds standing at bay without, the gentlemen in the thick of the wood just behind their game, in following the cry of the hounds came to the hermitage, and found the hounds round the chapel; then came the gentlemen to the door of the chapel, and called on the hermit, who did open the door, and then they got forth, and within lay the boar dead, for which the gentlemen in a fury, because their hounds were put out of their game, run at the hermit with their boarstaves, whereof he died; then the gentlemen knowing, and perceiving that he was in peril of death, took sanctuary at Scarborough; but at that time, the abbot, being in great favour with the King, did remove them out of Sanctuary, whereby they came in danger of the law, and not privileged, but like to have the severity of the law, which was death. But the her-

mit, being a holy man, and being very sick, and at the point of death, sent for the abbot, and desired him to send for the gentlemen, who had wounded him to death; so doing the gentlemen came, and the hermit being sick, said, "I am sure to die of these wounds:" the abbot answered, "they shall die for it," but the hermit said, "not so, for I will freely forgive them my death, if they are content to be enjoined this penalty (penance) for the safe-guard of their souls:" the gentlemen being there present, bid him enjoin what he would, so he saved their lives; then said the hermit, "You and yours shall hold land upon (of) the abbot of Whithy and (his) successors in this manner: that upon Ascension day even, you, or some of you, shall come to the wood of Strayheads, which is in Eskdaleside, and the same day (Ascension-day at sun rising) and then shall the officer of the Abbot blow his horn, to the intent that you may know where to find him, and deliver unto you, William de Bruce, ten stakes eleven strut-stowers, and eleven yadders, to be cut with a knife of a penny price; and you Ralph de Percy shall take one and twenty of each sort, to be cut in the same manner; and you, Allotson, shall take nine of each sort, to be cut as aforesaid, and to be taken on your backs, and carried to the town of Whitby, and to be there before nine o'clock of the same day before mentioned; and at the hour of nine o'clock, if it be full sea, to cease their service, as long as till it be low water; and at nine o'clock of the same day, each of you shall set your stakes at the brim of the water,



each stake a yard from another, and so yadder them with your yadders, and to stake them on each side with strut-stowers, that they stand three tides, without removing by force of the water each of you shall make at that hour in every year, except it be full sea at that hour, which when it shall happen to come to pass the service shall cease: you shall do this to remember that you did slav me, and that you may the better call to God for mercy, repent vourselves, and do good works. The officers of Eskdale shall blow, "Out on you! Out on you!" for this heinous crime of yours: if you or your successors refuse this service, so long as it shall not be a full sea at the hour aforesaid, you and yours shall forfeit all your lands to the abbot or his successor; this I do intreat, that you may have yourselves and goods for this service, and you to promise by your part in heaven, that it shall be done to you, and your successors as it is aforesaid;" and then the abbot said "I grant all that you have said, and will confirm it by the faith of an honest man;" then the hermit said, "My soul longeth for the Lord, and as I freely forgive these gentlemen my death, as Christ forgave the thief upon the cross" and in the presence of the Abbot and the rest, he said moreover these words "Into thy hands O Lord I commend my spirit, for thou hast redeemed me from the bonds of death, O Lord of truth." And the Abbot and the rest said, "Amen." And so (the hermit) yielded up the ghost the eighth day of December upon whose soul God have mercy Anno Domini 1160. In

1784 the service was still annually performed. ["History of Ripon."

SAVILLE OF METHLEY.

The family of Saville of Yorkshire, was one of the most illustrious of that County, and probably had its rise at Silston in that County, it flourished there in the 15th century. During the reign of Edward the 3rd, the family divided into two lines or branches, John of Tankersley, and Kerry of Bradley (brothers). The senior branch acquired its greatest renown, in the person of George, Marquis of Halifax. The junior branch, now of Copely and Methley is represented by the Earl of Merborough. [Burke's Commoners of England.

FERRARS OF BADESLEY CLINTON.

The sole remains of this most ancient and powerful family, illustrious for its antiquity, and the splendor of its connections, of which the powerful Earls of Derby, and the Ferrars a Feres, the chiefs. At the time of the conquest, held 200 and ten Lordships, in 14 counties of England, besides the castle of Flatbury, the principal seat of the Earldom. After the forfeiture of the Earldom the castle of Chartloy in Staffordshire, inherited from Agnes daughter and coheiress of Ranulph Earl of Chester, became the seat of the principal male line, extinct on the death of William Earl of Ferrars of Chartloy, in the time of Henry the 6th, The representative of the family then devolved upon the Ferrers of Tamworth in 1680. The present family

of Baddoes,—Clinton, succeeded as chief of this house. The Castle of Tamworth came into the family as follows by marriage into the house of Marmion. In the early times of Normandy, the family of Marmion, Lords of Foulemaye, were highly distinguished, Robert de Marmion, Lord of Foulemaye, a distinguished follower of the Conqueror, obtained a grant of Castle and Town of Tamworth, and allso of the manor of Scrivelhaye in Lincolnshire, one or both of these noble possessions, were held by the honorable service of being the royal champions, as the ancestors of the Marmions had been in the Dukes of Normandy in France.

After the castle and Lordship had been held by four successive Barons, from Robert de Marmion, the family in the male line became entirely extinct, upon the death of Philip de Marmion who lived in the 25th year of the reign of Edward the 1st. he dying without male issue, was succeeded in his castle of Tamworth by Alexander de Treville, his (Alexander's) descendents in the reign of Richard the 1st. claimed by the tenor of the castle of Tamworth, the office of royal champion, and to do service appertaining thereto, but this office was adjudged to Sir John Dimmock, to whom the Manor of Scrivelhaye, had descended by marriage with another co-heiress of Robert de Marmion, and it remains in that family, whose representative is hereditary Champion of England to the present day. The family and possessions of the Treville's, merged into that of the Earls of Ferrars. This old custom, as it did at one time, pertain to the heredditery domain, once in the

possession of the family, maybe of interest, and was as follows, copied from an old record, in the British Museum. At the time of the coronation of King Richard the second. Sir Baldwin Treville, Knight, Lord of Tamworth grandson of Sir Alexander de Treville, exhibited his claim to be the Kings Champion on that day, and to do the same appertaining to that office, by reason of his tenure of his Castle of Tamworth, viz. To ride completely armed, and challenge any who would gainsay the royal and legal right of the King to be crowned. Which service the Barons de Marmion, his ancestors, Lords of that castle, had theretofore performed. but this service passing into the family of Scrivelhaye of Lincoln shire, which had descended to him, by an heir female of Sir Thomas Ludlow, Knight, husband of Joanne, the youngest daughter of, and coheiress of Philip de Marmion, the last Lord Marmion of Tamworth, since when, the Dimmocks had ever retained the honor, now for over 400 years. The said Dimmocks had for his fee, one of the best coursers in the Kings stable, with the Kings saddle and harness appertaining to the same horse. He had likewise one of the best armors in the Kings armory, for his own body, and all that belonged thereto. At the coronation of King Charles the second, Sir Edward Dimmock, the Kings champion, by right of his Manor of Scrivelhaye, entered Westminster Hall, a little before was served, on a goodly steed, armed at all points, in rich armor, and having a plume of blue feathers in his helmet, he then made a stand for some time, then way



being made by the Kings Marshall, he advanced with his retinue, in the following order.

Two Trumpets.
Sergeant Trumpeter.
Sergeant at Arms.

An Esquire carrying a shield on which is portrayed the coat of arms of the Knight.

Herald.

The Earl Marshall. The Champion. The Lord High Constable. on horseback. on horseback.

The Herald then proclaimed the challenge as follows. If any person, of what degree soever, high or low, shall deny or gainsay, our Sovereign Lord King Charles the second, King of England, Scotland & Ireland, defender of the faith, son and next heir to our Sovereign Lord King Charles the first, the last King of England, deceased, to be the right heir, to the imperial crown of the realms of England, or that he ought not to enjoy the same. here is his champion who saith that he lieth, and is a false trator, being ready in person to combat with him, and in this quarrell will adventure his life against him on whatever day soever, he shall be appointed. The champion, thereupon threw his glove upon the ground, which lying some time, and nobody takeing it up, it was delivered to him by the Herald. Then all advanced to the middle of the hall, where the throwing of the gauntlet was repeated, and proclamation again made, upon the return of the gauntlet, all advanced to the foot of the throne, where once again the same performance was gone through with,

and the Herald for the third time, proclaimed the challenge, this being done, the King drank to the health of the Champion, by takeing a sip from a gilt cup with a cover, the cup was then handed to the Champion, who after three reverances drank the contents, and retained the cup, as his fee, then reigning his horse backwards out of the hall.

THE BASKERVILLES.

Descent of the Baskervilles, compiled by Dr. Percy, from incontestable proof.

Hugh Capet, 1; King of France; died in 996.

2, Robert, King of France.

Robert, 2; King of France; died 1031; married Constance, daughter of the Count of Arles.

3, Adelia.

Adelia, 3; married Baldwin, the 5th Earl of Flanders; from this marriage is descended the Baskervilles.

4, Maud.

Mand, 4; married William the Conqueror of England. 5, Henry.

Henry, 5; the first of the name, King of England.

Charlemagne; King of France, 1.

2, Louis le Debonaire.

Louis le Debonaire, 2.

3. Charles.

Charles the Bold, 3.

4, Judith.

Judith, 4; married Baldwin the 1st, Earl of Flanders. 5, Baldwin.

Baldwin, 5; second Earl of Flanders; married Ethelswida, daughter of Alfred the Great, King of England.

6, Arnulph.

Arnulph, 6; Earl of Flanders.

7, Baldwin; died vita patria.

8, Arnulph.

Arnulph, 8; Earl of Flanders.

9, Baldwin.

Baldwin, 9; Earl of Flanders.

10, Baldwin.

Baldwin, 10; the sixth Earl of Flanders; married Adelia, daughter of Robert, King of France. Hence through the Kings of England, the Prince of Wales, the Mortimers, the Audleys and Tonchets.

Elizabeth Tonchet; married Sir John Baskerville; living in 1433; lineally from Sir Robert Baskerville, who married a daughter of Rees ap Tud Rees Ap Tudor, Prince of Wales. Thus the Baskervilles derived from the Kings of England, France, Scotland and Ireland; from the Prince of North and South Wales; from the Count of Flanders and Charlemagne, Emperor of the West. [Burke's Commoners of England.

The family of Baskervilles owe their origin to Sir John de Baskerville, grantee of a moiety of Old Wittington, from Robert de Carmoyle in 1266, and that estate has ever since been in the family. In



1758, John Baskerville married the heiress of Clegg of Gayton, County Cheshire, and changed his name to Clegg of Gayton.

A daughter of Sir John Baskerville married Sir William Beckwith of Clint, Knight. [Burke's Landed Gentry of England.

BRAY OF SHERE.

Sir Robert Bray lived during the time of Richard the 1st, and founded the family, whose ancient seat was at Haslerton, in County Northumberland.

After the battle of Bosworth, Sir Reginald Bray, the devoted adherent of the King, discovered the crown in a thorn bush, and in memory he bore for his badge, a thorn with a crown in the middle thereof. Shere was granted Sir Reginald for his services. [Burke's Commoners of England.

WOODIFIELD OF TRIMDEN.

The Woodifields, or anciently called Weedifields, of the parish of Bishop Middleham, where the name was once exceedingly numerous, many of them died in the great plague, a visitation in the year 1597, Nicholas Woodifield, then tenant of a small farm at Mainworth, is said to have come suddenly rich by the following strange coincidence. During the hay harvest, having gone to a neighboring well to procure a draft of water, he let his rake drop, which striking something at the bottom of the well, that gave out a metallic sound. He immediately sent his servant girl home, and taking

off his brogues, contrived to make two purses of them, which, having descended into the well, he filled with broad pieces of gold, with this money, so unexpectedly acquired, he is said to have purchased the manor of Trimden. This estate by maternal descent, is the property of William Beckwith, Esq. [Burke's Landed Gentry of England.

Palms of Naburn.

This ancient family was anciently seated in the County of Somerset, and as far back as the twelfth century, it is found in alliance with the great Somerset House of St. Maur, which had summons to Parliament in the reign of Edward the third. The estate of Naburn, in the east riding of Yorkshire, was acquired by marriage in 1225, has regularly descended from father to son, since that year.

Manfred Palmes, living about the sixth year of King Stephen, anno domini, 1140, held lands in Trimten Dean, County Somerset. Sir William Palmes, 9th Lord of Naburn, living in 1335, married for his second wife Claricia, daughter of Thomas Fairfax and Margarette de Malebisse. After the death of Sir William, his widow Claricia married Sir William de Malebisse. The grandson of Sir William Palmes, Francis Palmes, Esq., had numerous issue, his fifth child married Thomas de Malebisse, Esq., of Ancaster-Malebisse, and his sixth child, Isabella married John de Malebisse of Ancaster, brother of the preceding. Arms gu. 3 fleur-de-lis a chief vaire quartering the ensign of



Charlton of Shropshire and Plumpton of County York. Crest a hand holding a Palm branch, motto "Ut Palma Justis."

PALMS OF LYNDSAY.

This branch of the Palmes family was seated at Lyndsay, in the County of York, and at Ashwell in Rutlandshire, was founded by George Palmes, Sergeant at Law, time of Henry the 8th, was second son of William Palmes, Esq., of Naburn. The granddaughter of George Palmes married Thomas Beckwith, Esq. of Clint, near Ripley and died in 1575. [Burke's Commoners of England.

FAIRFAX OF ASKAM & C.

This ancient family, originally named from the "fair locks" of its sons, "Feax" meaning hair in Saxon, was established before the conquest, at Torcestor, County Northumberland, and removed their seat into Yorkshire, in the vicinity of York, in the year 1205. Richard Fairfax held the lands of Askam and was succeeded by his son William Fairfax, Lord of Askam, in the time of King John and Henry 3d, his grandson William Fairfax, Bailiff of Yorkshire, purchased in 1249, from Peter de Brus, the manor of Walton, in the west riding of Yorkshire, and made that his residence. This Fairfax, 6th in descent from William, lived in the reign of Edward the 2d and married Margarette, daughter of John Lord de Malebisse, and who was eventually heiress of Sir William de Malebisse, by which lady he

had two daughters, one married Martin, and the other, Claricia, married William Palmes, Esq., of Naburn. The family is allied by marriage to the Earls of Buchan and the Earl of Northumberland. William 9th, Viscount Fairfax, married Isabel, the eldest daughter and heiress of Thomas Beckwith, Esq., of Acton (brother of George Beckwith of Maryland).

The present family of Fairfax of Seeton are descended from a younger son of Richard Fairfax, chief justice during the time of Henry the 6th, as well as the Fairfax's of Denton. Baron Fairfax of Cameron in Scotland (1627), represented an elder line, is represented by descendants in Virginia.

Arms arg. 3 bears gemelles gu. surrounded by a lion rampant sa. on a cap of maintenance, a lion passant regardant sa. motto. Je leferay durant ma vie. The principal seat of this family was at Gilling Castle 18 miles from York. [Burke's Landed Gentry of England.

POLKINGTON OF NETHER BRADLEY AND CHEVET CHASE.

An ancient family of repute, before the Conquest. The estate of Polkington appears to have remained in the family until the ruin of the elder branch, in consequence of Sir Thomas Polkington having taken part against Henry the 7th and Richard the 3d, at the Battle of Bosworth. The present house is descended from Sir John Polkington, 2d son of Robert, and brother of the unfortunate Sir Thomas; his son Robert is of Bradley, in the County of York, he died in 1447, and was ancestor of Sir Arthur, the first Baronet.

The crest of the family is a mower of particolor argent and gules, said to have been assumed as a disguise by Sir Thomas, when escaping from the battlefield of Bosworth, and adopted as a crest in memory of the event. Sir Thomas fought against four knights of his own family, who were on the side of Richard the 3d. [Burke's Commoners of England.

TANCRED OF BOROUGHBRIDGE.

At an early date and probably not long after the Conquest the ancestors of this family were seated at Boroughbridge, which appears to have been ever since one of the residences of this family of Tancred; the present representative is Thomas, the 7th Baronet. [Burke's Commoners of England.

LUMLEY OF LUMLEY CASTLE.

This very ancient family is of Anglo-Saxon origin, seated in the County of Durham, since the Conquest. Luilpt, the recorded ancestor, lived before the year 1080. The elder line became extinct on the death of John Lord Lumley in 1609. Upon a visit to Lumley Castle by James the 1st, in 1606, James Lumley, Bishop of Durham, regaled the King with a prolix account of the antiquity of the family, until the King becoming wearied exclaimed "Oh mon gang na father let me digest the knowledge I ha gained for I did not ken Adam's name was Lumley." [Burke's Commoners of England.

NEVILLE OF BULING.

Of a younger branch of the Nevilles. Sir Edward Neville obtained the castle and Barony of Aberganny, and estate of Buling, by marriage with the heiress of Beauchamp, during the reign of Henry 6th. The present family are descended from them, having been Barons previous to the erection of the Earldom. Buling has long been deserted by the family, whose principal seat is at Sheffield. [Burke's Landed Gentry.

CHALMONDELY.

Descended from the Barons of Malpas, in the reign of King John. The younger branches are Chalmondely of York, extinct in 1641. Chalmondely of Brandley, since the extinction of the Whitby branch, is the only representative of the Yorkshire Chalmondelys. [Burke's Landed Gentry.

WYVELL OF CONSTABLE BARTON.

This ancient Norman family is said to have descended from Sir Humphrey de Wyvell, who lived at the time of the Conquest, and whose descendants are seated at Slingsby, in County York. The more modern part of the pedigree begins with Robert Wyvell of Ripon, whose son was of Little Barton, in the reign of Henry the 8th; from thence the family emigrated to Constable Barton, about the end of the reign of James the 1st. During the civil wars of the 17th century, the Wyvells were distinguished by their loyalty, and consequent

sufferings, in the royal cause. An elder line of the family, on whom the Baronetcy was created in 1611, has descendants said to be resident in Maryland, U. S. Arms gu. 3 chevreuls interlaced vaire and a chief or. founded on the coat of Fitz-Hugh, and may be taken as proof of high antiquity. [Burke's Landed Gentry.

GRIMSTONE OF GRIMSTONEGARTH.

Sylvester of Grimstone, standard bearer and Chamberlain of William the 1st, of Grimstone in the parish of Garten, is claimed as ancestor of this venerable family, who have, ever since the period of the Conquest, resided at the place, from whence the name is derived. Younger branches of the Grimstone were seated in Norfolk and Essex, besides the Grimstones Gershamberg, Earls of Vellum, all now extinct in the male line. Arma arg. on a fess sa. 3 mullets of 6 points or. pierced gu. This coat was borne by Monsieur Girard de Grimstone, in the reign of Richard the second. [Burke's Landed Gentry of England.

REDMAN OF HAMMERTON.

One of the most ancient families in the North of England, descended from Richard de Hammerton, who lived in the 26th year of the reign of Henry the second, anno 1170. From Hammerton, the original seat, the family removed to Hellefield, acquired by marriage with an heiress of Knolles, during the reign of Edward the third. The castle or pell was built in the



time of Henry the seventh. The Hammertons were engaged in the northern rebellion in 1531, and thereby Sir Stephen Hammerton lost his head, and the family their estates, which were restored to the male representative of the family in the third year of the reign of Elizabeth, by a munificent settlement made by John Redman, who became possessed of the property by marriage with the Hammertons. [Burke's Landed Gentry of England.

BOYNTON OF BARRISTEN.

Bartholomew de Barristen, living at the beginning of the twelfth century, stands at the head of the pedigree. Barriston came from Sir Malyn Del Sie, in the fifth century. During the civil wars, Sir Mathew Boynton, the head of the family, was one of the gentlemen chiefly trusted in Yorkshire by parliament. [Burke's Landed Gentry of England.

WATTERTON OF WALTON.

Watterton in the County of Lincoln, was the original seat and from thence was the name derived. Sir John Watterton was Esquire of the body to Henry the fourth and comptroller of the household of Henry the fifth and sixth. He was succeeded by his brother Sir Robert of Methlre, which he inherited with his wife, Cicily, the daughter and heiress of Robert Fleming of Woodhall, in that parish, and where his house is still preserved. The present family are descendants of a younger son of this house (the elder line being



extinct) who married Catherine Boughe, heiress of Walton, about the time of Richard the second. [Burke's Landed Gentry of England.

GENTLEMEN'S MAGAZINE.

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- 1748. August 5th; Lieut. Col. Beckwith, at the camp near Colchester, King William gave him a pair of colors, at the siege of Navarre, where he was shot through the body. He was at the siege of Gibraltar and was one of its defenders for seven months against the united forces of Spain and France.
- 1748. Died, Tarpley Beckwith, November 27th, only son of Sir Marmaduke Beckwith of Virginia.
- 1758. Major Beckwith, promoted to lieut.-col of the 20th regiment.
- 1769. Ambrose Beckwith; bankrupt; a goldsmith of York.
- 1770. Rev. William Beckwith; curate of St. Giles, Norwich.
- 1770. Lieut. William Beckwith; Queen's regiment of dragoons; died.
- 1771. George Beckwith; ensign; promoted vice J. Gay.
- 1781. James Beckwith of Knæfborough; bankrupt; a draper.
- 1781. Lieut. John Beckwith; 15th Dragoons; promoted to captain lieutenant.



- 1782. At York, Alexander H. Sunderland; married to Miss Beckwith.
- 1786. August 17th; died at York, Thomas Beckwith; F. A. S. artist, whose paintings were both numerous and valuable, leaving a son Dr. Ray Beckwith at Whitby and one daughter, unmarried.
- 1787. At Bishop Middleham, near Durham, died General John Beckwith, retired many years from the army, who distinguished himself greatly in Germany, under Prince Ferdinand, by whom he was greatly esteemed.
- 1788. At Marlborough, near Rotherham, Co. York, Mrs. Beckwith died; she was the wife of Jonah Beckwith, F. A. S. Attorney; they were married in 1763, having two sons and two daughters.
- 1790. Henry Beckwith of Long Oak, married Mrs. Deaman of Clapham Abbey.
- 1794. Rev. Edward Beckwith; M. A., new college of Oxford; married to Miss Chard of Ryecot.
- 1794. At Sunderland; William Beckwith; captain of Durham Militia; married Miss Caroline Lewham of Houghton le Spring.
- 1795. James Beckwith, died at York, aged 66.
- 1796. Rev. Malby Beckwith; vicar; "St. Denis with St. George," "cum nabrum R." in York, vice Barret, deceased.
- 1797. George Beckwith; appointed governor and commander-in-chief of the islands called Bermuda, lower islands in America; he was not sworn

- of her Majesty's private council, but took the oath appointed to be taken by the governors of her Majesty's plantations.
- 1797. Rev. J. Walker; appointed living, vice Beckwith.
- 1798. Rev. Edward James Beckwith, M. A.; collated to Nimes Deanery in St Paul's Cathedral, London.
- 1799. At his home, Great Smithfield, Westminster; died suddenly, Edward Beckwith of Ripon, Co. York; lineal descendant of Sir Roger Beckwith of Beckwithshaw, near Knæfborough; his daughter married Capt. Craik of Abigland Dumphries, whose son will inherit the estates in Yorkshire.
- 1799. Ray Beckwith, M. D.; died in his eighty-seventh year; of York; a gentleman of good medical ability.
- 1800. James Beckwith, Sr., a member of North Cathedral; died in his seventy-second year.
- 1800. Ray Beckwith, M. D.; son of Thomas Beckwith; F. A. S. portrait painter; nephew of Jonah Beckwith of Rothersham; attorney; died at York.
- 1802. Fred A. F. Beckwith; 37th Foot, lieut.-colonel.
- 1803. Mr. Beckwith of St. Martine Lane to Miss Royal of Pall Mall.
- 1803. To the wife of Lieut. Col. Sidney Beckwith and daughter.
- 1804. Mr. Beckwith; upholsterer; of Martin's Lane, Charing Cross; died.
- 1804. Maj.-General Beckwith; appointed captain and



- governor-in-chief of the island of St. Vincent and Grenadine.
- 1805. Major Sidney Beckwith of the rifle brigade to Miss Clementina Loughran of London.
- 1805. December 31st, F. A. Beckwith; brig.-gen. of his Majesty's forces, died; brig.-gen., while acting as A. A. G., southern district, Whitehall, December 31st, 1804.
- 1807. August 21st; died at Colchester, Essex, the wife of Col. Sidney Beckwith, of a son born.
- 1809. Died at Norwich, Dr. Beckwith, in the fiftieth year of his age; organist of the Cathedral and St. Peter's Church; admitted to the degree of B. and D., at Oxford, 1803.
- 1809. At Tombstone Lodge; died, Peregrine Wentworth, eighty-eight years old; married Miss Thompson, May, 1751, only daughter of Bielby Thompson, near York, by his first wife, who was the sole daughter and heiress of Sir Roger Beckwith, Bart.
- 1811. Wounded, Peninsular War, in the foot, March 4th; Lieut. Beckwith, 1st Batt., 95th Foot.
- 1811. Major F. S. Beckwith, 95th Foot, to be lieut.col. in the army.
- 1813. Died March 13th, Clementina, wife of Maj.-Gen. Sir Sidney Beckwith; quartermaster-general of her Majesty's force in America.
- 1813. July 23d, Henry P. Howard Beckwith; married Elizabeth, daughter of Walter Macquire of Clowen Castle, Waterford.

- 1814. January 2d. died in Gloucester Street, Queens Square, age seventy-six, Mrs. Beckwith, widow of Ambrose Beckwith, formerly of York.
- 1815. Order of the Bath conferred on General Sir George Beckwith and on Maj.-General Sir Sidney Beckwith.
- 1815. Sepoy Rebellion; Major C. Beckwith, 95th Foot.
- 1815. Emperor of Russia conferred order of St. Ann on Col. C. Beckwith, 95th Foot.
- 1816. Selby Abbey, Yorkshire, home of Sir Leonard Beckwith.
- 1816. Promoted to major-general, Sir S. Beckwith, K. C. B.
- 1817. To day the execution of Cahman, the rioter, took place opposite Mr. Beckwith's gun store in Skunter Street, London, which was gutted by the rioters.
- 1817. At the exposition of the school of St. Paul's Mr. Beckwith delivered an oration in Greek.
- 1817. Rev. E. J. Beckwith, ecclesiastical preferment.
- 1817. Lieut. W. F. Peter, Royal Navy; married Mary, eldest daughter of Rev. E. J. Beckwith, rector of St. Albans, Wood Street.
- 1817. Major-General Sir Thomas Sidney Beckwith, K. C. B.; married Mary, eldest daughter of Sir William Douglas, Bart., of Kelhead.
- 1817. "Fragmenta Antiquitatis" or Ancient Tenures and Customs, reprinted by Jonah Beckwith, 1784, and reprinted by his son in 1815.
- 1781. John Beckwith; ensign; promoted to lieut.,

- March 1st, 1783; in Col. John Gibson's command, western department, January 1st, 1780, to 1781.
- 1812. Died at Rochline Place, John Beckwith in the eighty-fourth year of his age.
- 1815. Promoted Col. C. Beckwith to lieut.-col., 95th Foot.
- 1818. History of Lincolnshire, Somerby Park, by John Beckwith, Esq.
- 1819. April 5th; died, the wife of Mr. Beckwith of the Royal Mint, Tower Hill.
- 1819. March 11th, Thomas Beckwith of Bedford Place, married Sophia, eldest daughter of F. Baldwin of Vale Place, niece of Sir William Henchel.
- 1821. Rev. G. Beckwith, East Redford; vicar, Nottinghamshire.
- 1821. Rev. E. G. Beckwith of Tillingham, Essex; married Jane Hanbury.
- 1822. Died, Henry Peregrine Howard Beckwith, age thirty-six.
- 1822. Rev. G. F. Beckwith; vicar of East Tidford; married daughter of Rev. J. Carter.
- 1822. Died at Brompton, Jersey, Philadelphia, daughter of Sir T. S. Beckwith, K. C. B., age sixteen.
- 1823. Rev. Henry Ambrose Beckwith, A. M.; vicar of St. Michaels le Belfrey; married Mary Ponnall of Haltin Garden.
- 1823. Died, age seventy-five, the Right Hon. General Sir George Beckwith, G. C. B.; colonel of the 89th Regiment of Foot.

- 1823. January 16th, at Hampstead, Thomas Beckwith of Bedford Place, married Eliz Sophia Spotswood.
- 1823. Order of the Tower and Sword of Portugal conferred on Sir F. Beckwith.
- 1825. Rev. E. G. A. Beckwith, canon of Westminster Abbey.
- 1825. May 17th, to the wife of E. G. A. Beckwith, a daughter at the vicarage of Tillingham, Essex.
- 1825. December 7th, died at York, age sixty-eight, Captain Beckwith.
- 1826. Rev. E. G. A. Beckwith, to a minor canonry in St. Paul's Cathedral.
- 1827. Rev. A. Beckwith, Collingham R., York.
- 1827. Essay on theological science by James Beckwith.
- 1827. Died at Edinburgh, age ninety-six; relic of Maj.-Gen. John Beckwith, daughter of Rev. Michael, dean of the Royal Chapel.
- 1828. March 21st, at Gibraltar, Thomas Sidney Beckwith; captain Rifle Brigade, only son of Maj.-Gen. Thos. Sidney Beckwith.
- 1828. At Chester, September 30th; Rev. James Marngy of Chester to Charlotte, daughter of Maj.-Gen.
 B., and niece of the late General Sir George Beckwith, K. C. B.
- 1829. Rev. H. Beckwith, vicar of St. Martin's, York.
- 1830. At Marylebone, Rev. Wilson married Clementina, only daughter of Lieut.-General Sir Thos. Sidney Beckwith, K. C. B.

GENTLEMAN'S MAGAZINE, 1812.

1812. June 1st, 1812. The splendid ceremony of installing the twenty-three knights lately added to the Order of the Bath, took place early in the morning, the Horse and Foot Guards took their stations about ten o'clock: the persons connected with the ceremony met in the House of Lords, and at eleven the procession commenced in the following order, under a temporary boarded covering, matted and bounded on each side by strong wooden railings; it extended from the door of the House of Lords (Princes' chamber) to the S. E. door of the Abbey (poets' corner); four ushers with wands ornamented with ribbons, four drummers and fifers, and eight trumpeters in their full uniforms. Esquires of the knights elect, and the proxies of those who did not attend, the latter wore the sack coat and were girt with the sword of the order. They carried the mantle on their right arms, and walked bare headed. Esquires of the knights who had already received the honor of knighthood, wore black velvet caps. The knights of the order, superbly dressed in their proper costume, and all wearing white satin hats, ornamented with white plumes. The Duke of York, grand master, followed by his aide-de-camps in full uniform. Then came several heralds and a party of Javelin-men, by whom the procession

was closed. When the procession reached the chapel, the knights took their seats in their respective stalls, and under their banners, the proxies and the esquires in their proper places, they made profound obeisance to the throne or stall set apart for the sovereign and which (the Prince Regent having declined honoring the ceremonial with his presence) was of course vacant. Close to it was the stall of the Duke of York. who, as acting grand master, presided on this occasion. The ceremony finished, the procession returned in the same order in which they had approached the abbey. The Princesses Augusta and Sophia, the Princess Charlotte of Wales and the Duchess of York after the ceremony dined with the Prince Regent in company with the Duke of Kent, Cumberland, and of Cambridge. The Order of the Bath had on this occasion been extended to fifty knights, including the sovereign and grand master. Among the names of the new knights is that of Sir George Beckwith.

GENTLEMAN'S MAGAZINE.

- 1812. May 15th, at the trial of John Bellingham for murder, he confessed to having bought the pistol that done the deed at Mr. Beckwith's in Fleet Street.
- 1786. February 17th, died at York, Mr. Thomas Beckwith, F. A. S. painter, whose collections for the city of York and county were both numerous



and valuable, was descended from a very ancient family in that county, of every branch of which he had preserved copious genealogies. As to his own line, suffice to say, that his father was a respectable attorney in the West Riding, who left several children. Two of his sons were led to his own profession, to one of whom (Jonah still living) the world is much obliged for an enlarged edition of Blount's "Fragmenta Antiquitatis" printed at York, in October, 1784. What other children survived his father is unknown to the writer of this article, except Thomas, the loss of whom he sincerely regrets, and to whom the following tribute is due.

Mr. Beckwith served his time as a house painter, to a very ingenious man, Mr. George Fleming of Wakefield, from whom he derived his skill in drawing and living, as well as imbibed a love of antiquity. To these, Mr. B. added heraldic and genealogical knowledge, to all which he applied himself in his leisure hours, with such great and unwearied zeal, that his collections, together with the works of his own hands, became at length very considerable; for as he was well known to and still more respected by a numerous provincial acquaintance, he had frequent opportunities of making additions to With regard to Mr. B.'s merits as a portrait painter, the writer is not competent to judge; but if Mr. B. did not use his palette much, yet

was his pencil in constant employment; for there was hardly an object that struck him as a curiosity, particularly if an antique, of which he did not make a drawing, and scarcely a church or a ruin in the vicinity of the place of his abode, that he did not picture, either in pencil or water colors. A few years ago, Mr. B. obtained a patent for the sole making and vending what may be called hardened crayons, which would bear the knife, and carry a point like a pencil, but whether his ingenuity was rewarded with a success the writer is ignorant. It was about the same time that he was elected a fellow of the society of Antiquane, London. But what contributed most to make Mr. B. known to those who were unacquainted with him in any other branch, was his extensive information in the genealogical line, in so much that he has had the arrangement of numberless pedigree for some of the best families in the north of England; which he was enabled to do from visitation books, and other authentic documents, which fell into his hands; added to these he possessed much intelligence, respecting the antiquity and descents of the principal families in the inland adjacent countries, and of various others and more remote from him. If the world in general was, in a great measure, a stranger to Mr. B.'s public merits, it may be partly attributed to his own modesty and diffidence, to which truth, many

readers of this little account will be ready to enjoin their testimony, and agree, further, that his indefatigable industry in collecting, was only exceeded by his obliging willingness to impart any information which he had received. In the search after antiquities, Mr. B. seemed to have made the more obscure and minuter history of York, and its environs his peculiar study, in so much that he had prepared and nearly completed a little work which would be very acceptable to many of his friends, viz.: "A walk in and about the city of York," on the plan of Mr. Gosling's "Walk in and about the city of Canterbury."

The whole of his collections, we understand, is speedily intended for sale; but it is much to be wished, in particular, that the above piece might be accepted, and placed in proper hands for publication, and in general, that the rest of his manuscript may fall among such purchasers, who will be as liberal in their communications, as was the late worthy proprietor. Mr. B. died a widower, leaving one son, Dr. Ray Beckwith, a physician at Whitby, and one daughter, unmarried.

1836. September 7th, at Shrewsbury, the Rev. Henry Beckwith to Ann Rose, second daughter of the late Rev. John Eyton.

1837. May 16th, Mary, widow of the late Maj. Gen.G. Sidney Beckwith, and Christian and Catherine Heron Douglas, spinsters, the only surviv-



- ing younger children of the late Sir William Douglas of Kelhead, Bart, and younger brother and sisters of Charles now Marquis of Queensbury, to enjoy the name, title and precedence as if their late father had survived the late Duke of Queensbury.
- 1838. October 19th, At Collingham, near Whitby, Yorkshire, aged forty-one; died, the Rev. Henry Arthur Beckwith, vicar of that parish, and of St. Martins le-grand, York. He was presented to Collingham in 1827, by Mrs. Wheeler, and to his church in York in 1829, by the dean and chapter.
- 1839. Lately, Vavasour George, youngest son of the Rev. T. F. Beckwith, vicar of East Redford.
- 1832. March 20th, at Eton College, Frances Lorissa, youngest daughter of the late Dr. Beckwith of Norwich.
- 1832. Cheshire, June 11th, at Park Gate, aged twenty, Georgina, fourth daughter of Maj. Gen. W. H. Beckwith.
- 1812. May 31st, New Brunswick, Capt. G. Evatt, 55th Reg., to Susan, second daughter of J. Beckwith of the Bower, Halifax.
- 1833. January 7th, aged sixty-two, the Rev. Edward James Beckwith, rector of the united parishes of St. Albans, Wood Street, and St. Olares, Silver Street, London. Vicar of Tillingham, Essex, and a minor canon of St. Paul's. He obtained the latter preferment in 1797, and was

- presented by the dean and chapter to his city living in 1800, and that in Essex, in 1855.
- 1833. January 1st, at Faywell, Gendhurst, aged fifty-seven, Samuel Beckwith, Esq. (died.)
- 1835. Ecclesiastical preferment, Rev. E. J. Beckwith, St. Michael Baneshaw R., London.
- 1834. Died, Durham, March 20th, aged 29, William Beckwith, Esq., of Stockton-upon-tees, Timber merchant.

Dr. Gelley's Book, "A visit to the valleys of Piedmont" fell into the hands of a British retired officer, Colonel Beckwith, who had lost a leg at the battle of Waterloo, which suggested an object for one who was loth to fall at the age of twenty-six into enforced idleness. Beckwith visited the valleys and was painfully struck by the squallor and ignorance of a people who had had such a glorious past. He settled among them, and for thirty-five years devoted himself to their welfare, he married a Voudois peasant girl, and lived among the people, and established no fewer than twelve schools. Moreover he brought back the Italian language, which had been displaced by the French in the service of the Voudois church, and in 1849, built a church for them at Turin. He lived in La Tour till his death, in 1862, and the name of their English benefactor is still revered by the simple folk of the valleys whom he did so much to civilize. [Encyclopedia Britannica.



EMIGRANTS.

- 1607. At Jamestown, Va., from the ship Phœnix, landed William Beckwith [Smith's History of Virginia.
- 1634. Stephen Beckwith (?) did not take oath, being under age; shipped at Ipswich, England, for New England, April 31st, 1634, age eleven years. [Public Records of Connecticut.]
- 1635. July 4th, emigrants to be transported to Virginia; embarked on the "Transport" of London, Edward Walker, master, certificate from Minister at Gravesend of their conformity to the orders and discipline of the Church of England. Robert Beckwith, age twenty-one, and many others. [Hotten's Emigrants.
- 1645. The parish of Tuling, County Essex, England, sent over Thomas Beckwith, a poor boy, in 1645.

 [Public Records of Connecticut.
- 1635. April 3d, Gravesend, April 3d, 1635, on the "Peter Buonaventura," Thomas Hartman, master, bound for Barbadoes, William Beckwith, age twenty-six. [Hotten's Emigrants.]
- 1648. George Beckwith, landed at St. Marys', Maryland, in the year 1648. [Maryland Land Records.
- 1669. Henry Beckwith, came to Maryland from Virginia, in the year 1669. [Maryland Land Records.
- 1700. Sir Marmaduke Beckwith came to Virginia



about the year 1700. [County Clerks of Richmond Co., Va.

GEORGE BECKWITH, OF CALVERT COUNTY, MARYLAND, EMIGRANT.

The privy-councillors and lords of manors formed the class in which we find the germ of a nobility, below them was a considerable number of planters, who bore the title of "gentlemen," as large a class, in Maryland, as in any other Anglo-American colony, and were held in the very highest esteem. Many who had come under an indenture, performed an honorable service, and then received their discharge, with a comfortable outfit. The principal planters were also the merchants, who traded with London and the other great ports of England. Ferries over streams and rivers, were erected by the government, and kept by the most respectable colonists, the duties in most instances being performed by their deputies. Tobacco was the most common currency of the province, one pound of it in 1650 was worth about three pence, in English money. The most striking features upon the face of society was the plantations, upon them was held some of the earliest courts and councils and governors, privy councilors and county judges, were all of them planters. [Davis' Day Star of Freedom.

THE PROTESTANT DECLARATION.

The declaration and certificate of William Stone, Esq., lieutenant of the province of Maryland, by com-



mission from the Right Honorable, the Lord Baltimore, Lord Proprietary thereof, and of Captain Brice, Mr. Thomas Hatton and Captain Vaughan of his said lordship's council there and of divers of the Burgesses now met as the assembly there, and other protestant inhabitants of the said province, made the 17th day of April, anno domini one thousand six hundred and fifty.

We, the said lieutenant, council, burgesses and other protestants, inhabitants above mentioned, whose names are hereunto subscribed, do declare and certify to all persons whom it may concern, that according to an act of assembly here, and several other strict injunctions, and declarations by his said lordship, for that purpose, made and provided, we do here enjoy all fitting and convenient freedom and liberty in the exercise of our religion, under his lordship's government and interest, and that none of us are anyways troubled or molested, for or by reason thereof, within his said lordship's province.

James Cox,
Robert Roberts,
Thomas Steerman,
George Puddington,
Walter Barri,
William Brough,
Francis Posey.

William Stone,
Burgesses.
Robert Vaughan,
Thomas Hatton,
Council.

William Durand, Thomas Maydwell, Wm. Hungerford, William Stimpson, Thomas Dinyard, John Grimesditch, William Edwin, Richard Bunne, Elias Beach, Antony Rawlins, Marke Bloomfield, William Pell, William Warren, Edward Williams, Ralph Bean, John Slingsby, Jos Morpheu, Richard Smith, George Beckwith, Thomas Bushnell, Francis Martin, John Walker, Stanhope Roberts, William Brown, John Halfhead, William Hardwick, Hugh Crage,

George Sawyer, William Edes, John Gage, Robert Ward, William Marshall, Author Turner, Wm. Hawley, William Smoot, John Sturman, John Nichols, George Whiteacre,
Daniel Clocker,
Patrick Forest,
Thomas Warr,
Walter Walterling.
[Maryland Records.

- 1648. Thomas Hatton, Esq., Secretary of Maryland, obtained a grant of land for transporting himself and family and two other persons, George Beckwith and Patrick Forest, into the province to inhabit in the year 1648. [Maryland Land Records, liber A, B, and H, folio 123.
- 1663. George Beckwith demands more land for transporting himself from Virginia, into the province in 1657; Richard Prigg, in 1661; Charles Freeman, in 1661; Alice Jones, in 1660; Alice Lindsey, in 1661. [Maryland Land Records, liber 7, folio 81 and 82.
- 1641. December 17th, 1641, Nicholas Hervey, prayeth a grant of land of one thousand acres on the Patuxent River, by special warrant, from his lordship for transporting into the province, this present year, himself, his wife and daughter, Frances, and four other persons, viz.: Robert Beard, Harvey Spinke, John Carr and one boy named Robert Ford. [Maryland Land Records, liber 1, folio 129.

The above special warrant was dated at London, England, September 8th, 1641. [Maryland Land Records, liber A, B, and H, folio 103.

1657. August 20th, 1657. The deposition of Jane

Green, wife of Thomas Green of Elizabeth River, in the county of Norfolk, Virginia, planter, and widow of the late Nicholas Hervey of Patuxent River, in the province of Maryland; concerning a plantation or manor called "St. Joseph's Manor," of the deceased Hervey's, now held by George Beckwith of Patuxent River, in the province of Maryland, in right of himself and Frances, his now wife, the daughter and heiress of the said Nicholas Hervey, late of Maryland, planter. [Maryland Land Records, liber No. 3, folio 336.

1675. Came Richard Ladd of Calvert County, Gent'l, and showeth that George Beckwith, late of Calvert Co., Gent'l, the 25th of May last past, made a will in writing, constituting his wife Frances, his sole executrix, and giving by that will deverse legacies to his children, and after made Christopher Roushy Gent, and him the said Ladd, overseers of the said will that the said Beckwith after went for England, and there converted the said moneys into goods and merchandise to return to the said province, and there falling sick, upon the third day of November, last past, declared unto Captain Leonard Webber, that whereas, he had made a will before he came from his home in Maryland, which he did not see fit or convenient, he did now all to the disposition of his wife, as by the dispoition of the said Webber, taken the 13th in-



stant, and endorsed upon the said will, doth and may appear, and he further showeth that the said George Beckwith is since deceased and buried in England, and that since his death, the said Frances, his wife, is likewise deceased in the province, so that now the right of administration rests in some of the children of the said George and Frances, being all infants under age, and therefore in regard the said Beckwith's will in writing, dated 24th May aforesaid, had made him the said Ladd one of the overseers of the said will, and out of his affection to the said infants, offered to take upon himself the burden of administration, whereupon letters of administration were granted to the said Richard Ladd. [Testamentary Proceedings, liber No. 3, folio 346.

1674. Warrant of re-survey to George Beckwith of St. Joseph's manor, Patuxent river. [Maryland Land Records.

1679. April 28th, approved the third and final account of Thomas Banks of Patuxent river in Calvert County, Gent'l., administrator of all and singular ye goods and chatels and debts of George Beckwith Gent., late of Calvert County, deceased at London in ye kingdom of England, etc., etc. Signed Philip Calvert Esquire, for the probate of wills, etc. [Inventories and accounts, liber 6, folios 46 to 59.

1679. February 17th, came Thomas Banks and in-



formed the judge that he had received information of diverse goods, late belonging to the estate of George Beckwith late of Calvert County, deceased of whose goods etc., he the said Banks is administrator, and therefore prayeth that they might be appraised and to him delivered.

Ordered: That Captain Henry Darnall Gent, doe appraise the said goods and that they be delivered to ye said Banks, to be distributed to ye children of ye said George Beckwith, viz't., to John Miles, who married Mary the eldest daughter of ye said George, and to Elizabeth who is now of age, by equal portions, and that he doe immediately give bond with two sureties to render unto Charles, Barbarra and Margarett Beckwith, children of the said George, for the remaining three-fifths or ye value thereof. [Testamentary Proceedings, liber 16, folio 346.

- 1704. October 5th, was surveyed for Charles Beckwith of St. Mary's County, by virtue dated 30th August, 1704, a tract called "Beckwith's Lodge" containing 600 acres etc., to be held of the manor of "West St. Mary's" patent issued 10th Oct., 1707. [Land records liber D, D, No. 5, folio 466.
- 1706. June 12th, by virtue of a warrant granted out of his Lordship's Land office unto Charles Beckwith of St. Mary's County, to re-survey that part of a tract of land lying in the said county called "St. Joseph's Manor" as was "not sold by

- his father, and was afterwards in the possession of Lydiet deceased, bearing date the fourteenth of April, 1702. [Land records liber I, L, No. B, folio 182.
- 1706. June 12th, surveyed for Charles Beckwith, a manour of land called "St. Joseph's Manour" comprising 1250 acres, lying in St. Mary's County. [Land records liber I, L, No. B, folio 181'A'.
- 1732. November 25, suit brought by Thomas Gittings against William Beckwith in an exchange of lands in St. Mary's and Prince George Counties Md., the said William Beckwith proves his right by inheritance from his father Charles Beckwith, Ann Beckwith wife of the said Charles and mother of the said William, testifies as to the relinquishment of her dower as the widow of said Charles Beckwith, and mother of the said William Beckwith: also testifies his brothers Basil and George Beckwith; furthermore testifies Ann Miller, mother of William Beckwith, who says after her husband's, Charles Beckwith's death she married John Miller of Prince George County, planter, at which time she relinquished her dower in the estate of the late Charles Beckwith. [Maryland Chancery Proceedings, liber I, R, No. 3, folios 17–33.

HENRY BECKWITH, OF DORCHESTER Co., MARYLAND, EMIGRANT.

1669. October 21st, came Henry Beckwith and proved right to fifty acres of land for transporting himself from Virginia. [Maryland Land Records, liber 12, folio 349.

The will of Henry Beckwith of Dorchester Co., Md., planter, dated 17th of August, 1717, and proved 27th of October, 1717. He bequeathed two tracts of land called "Berry's Chance" and "Willmot's Choyse" to his well beloved son Nehemiah Beckwith, whom he appointed sole executor of his will. [Testamentary Records, liber W, B, No. 6, folio 451.

The will of Nehimiah Beckwith of Dorchester Co., Md., planter, dated 21st January, 1729, and proved 10th June, 1730. He bequeathed his dwelling, plantation and personal property, to his wife Frances Beckwith, his executrix; after death or marriage, the former was to revert to his eldest daughter, Elizabeth Beckwith, and the personality to be equally divided between his daughters Elizabeth and Dorothy. He also bequeathed a tract of land containing eight hundred and sixty acres to his daughter Dorothy Beckwith. [Testamentary Records, liber C, C, No. 3, folios 28 and 29.

The will of Frances Beckwith, of Dorchester Co., in the province of Maryland, dated June



18th, 1734, and proved 15th August, 1734. She divided her personal estate equally between her daughters, Elizabeth Ennals and Dorothy Beckwith, and appointed the latter her executrix. [Testamentary Proceedings, liber I, D, folio 812.

1730. June 10th, letters testamentary on the estate of Nehemiah Beckwith, of Dorchester Co., Md., deceased, granted to Frances Beckwith, his executrix, Col. Tall Lockerman and John Anderton, her sureties in the sum of £800 sterling. The inventory of his estate (£328, 2, 2), returned 13th July, 1731. An inventory of the estate of Frances Beckwith of Dorchester Co., returned 6th December, 1734. [Testamentary Proceedings, liber T, G, 7, folios 3, 106 and 475.

The will of Mary Beckwith, of Dorchester Co., Md., dated October 21st, 1750, and proved 8th July, 1758; she appointed her son-in-law, Thomas Corke, and her grandson, Thomas Taylor, executors of her will, and bequeathed her personal property to the following persons. John Taylor, her grandson; Elizabeth Taylor, her granddaughter; Nehemiah Corke, her grandson; Edward Corke, her grandson; Amy Corke, her granddaughter; Charles Beckwith, her son; Nehemiah Beckwith, her son; Mary Nickers, her daughter. [Testamentary Proceedings, liber B, I, No. 2, folios 611 and 612.



DORCHESTER COUNTY DEBT BOOKS.

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Pag	ge 29.							
1734.	Henry Beckwith.							
	Steward's Place,	300	acres,	rent,	lbs.	0,	6,	0.
	Skinner's Folly,	50	4.6	66	4.6	0,	1,	0.
	Berry's Chance,	200	4.4	44	44	0,	4,	0.
	Refused Neck,	50	6.6	4.6	4.4	0,	1,	0.
	Beckwith's Add'n,	50	6.6	4.6	4.4	0,	2,	0.
	Wilmot's Advent'e,	50	4.4	4.6	4.6	0,	2,	0.
Pag	e 47.							
_	Henry Beckwith, Se	en.						
	Steward's Place,	300	"	4.4	4.6	0,	6,	0.
Pag	ge 7.							
1756.	,							
	Refused Neck,	50	6.6	"	"	0,	1,	0.
	Beckwith's Add'n,	50	"	6.6	"			0.
Pag	ge 13.							
_	Nehemiah Beckwitl	b.						
	Steward's Place,	150	44	44	"	0.	3,	0.
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1766.	50 10.							
1,00.	Beckwith's Add'n,							
Pag	ge 10.							
_	Charles Beckwith.							
	Refused Neck,	50	"	44	"	0,	1,	0.
Pag	ge 10.					,		
~	Nehemiah Beckwith	h.	`					
	Steward's Place,	150	66	44	"	0,	3,	0.



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1770.

Beckwith's Add'n, 50 " " 0, 2, 0.

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1770. Samuel Beckwith.

Refused Neck, 50 " " 0, 1, 0.

SIR MARMADUKE BECKWITH OF VIRGINIA, EMIGRANT.

Sir Marmaduke Beckwith, Baronet, born January, 1687; was a merchant and clerk of the peace in Virginia; he married and had issue: Tarpley, who died in England December 29th, 1748; Marmaduke, living in Virginia in 1771; a daughter living in 1748; Sir Jonathan Beckwith is the present baronet. [Burke's Landed Gentry.

Sir Marmaduke Beckwith, county clerk of Richmond Co., Va., from 1708 to 1748; T. Tarpley was his deputy and successor. [Virginia County Clerks.]

Roused by danger and alarm at attempts, foreign and domestic, to reduce the people of this country to an abject and detestable slavery, by destroying their fair and happy constitution of government, under which they have hitherto lived, we who subscribe to this paper, have associated and do bind ourselves to each other, to God, and to our country, by the firmest ties that religion and virtue can frame, most sacredly and punctually to stand by, and with our lives and fortunes, to support and defend each other, in the durance of the following articles.

First we declare all due allegiance and obedience to our lawful Sovereign George the third, King of Great Britain, and we determine to the utmost of our power, to preserve the laws, the peace and good order of this colony, as far as is consistent with the preservation of our constitutional rights and liberties.

Secondly: As we know it to be the rightful birth-right of every British subject (and of the People of Virginia, as being such), founded in reason, law and compact, that he cannot be, legally tried, but by his peers, and that he cannot be taxed, but by the consent of a Parliament, in which he is represented by persons, chosen by the people, and who themselves, pay a part of the tax, they impress on others. If therefore any person or persons shall attempt, by any action, or proceeding, to deprive the colony of those fundamental rights, we will immediately consider him or them, as the most dangerous enemy or enemies of the community, and we will go to any extremity, not only to prevent the success of any attempts, but to stigmatize and punish the offenders.

Thirdly: As the stamp act, does absolutely direct the property of the people to be taken from them, without their consent, expressed by their representatives, and as in many cases, it deprives the British American subject of his right of trial by jury, we determine at every hazard; in regard to danger and death, we will exact, and exert every faculty to prevent the execution of the stamp act, in every instance whatsoever within



the colony. And every abandoned wretch who shall be so lost to virtue and public good, as wickedly to contribute to the introduction, or fixture of the stamp act in this colony by using stamp paper, or by any other means, we will with the utmost expedition, convince all such profligates, that immediate danger, and disgrace shall attend their prostitute purposes.

Fourthly: That the last article may be most surely and effectually executed, we engage to each other, that whenever it shall be known, to any of this association, that any person is so conducting himself, as to favor the introduction of the stamp act, that immediate notice shall be given to as many of the association as possible and that every individual so informed, shall with expedition, repair to a place of meeting, to be appointed, as near the scene of action as possible.

Fifthly: Each associate shall do his true endeavor to obtain as many signers to this association as he possibly can.

Sixthly: If any attempts shall be made on the liberty or property of any associater, for any action or thing, done in consequence of this agreement, we do most solemnly bind ourselves by the most sacred engagement of those who have entered thereunto at the risk of our lives and fortunes, to restore such associate to his liberty, and to protect him in the enjoyment of his property.

In testimony of the good faith with which we re-

solve to execute the orders of this association, we have this 27th day of February, 1766, in Virginia, put our hands and seals hereto.

Richard Henry Lee, Thomas Lord Lee, Samuel Washington, William Sydnor, Charles Washington, John Monroe, Moore Fauntleroy, Francis Lightfoot Lee, William Grayson, Thomas Jones, Rodham Kenner, Spencer M. Ball, Joseph Murdock, Richard Parker. Spence Monroe, John Watts, Robert Lovell, John Blagge, Charles Weeks, Wm. Booth, Geo. Tuberville, Alvin Maxley, Wm. Flood, John Ballentine, Jr. Daniel McCarty, Townsend Dade, John Ashton, W. Brent. Francis Foushell, John Smith, Jr., Wm. Ball. Thomas Barnes, Jas. Blackwell. Reuben Merriwether, John Newton, Edward Montjoy, Wm. T. Montjoy, Thomas Montjoy, Jas. Milikan, John Richard, Max Robinson,

Will Robinson. William Lee, William Cocke, W. Brockinborough, Jas. Upshaw, Samuel Selden, Richard Mitchell, Daniel Tibbs. Francis Thornton, Jr., Peter Rust, John Lee, Jr., Francis Warring, John Upshaw, Merriwether Smith. Thos. Ronne, James Edmondson, Jas. Webb, Jr., John Edmondson, Edward Sanford, Jas. Rust, Gillet Campbell, Jas. Lane, A. Montague, Richard Jeffries, John Sugget, John S. Woodcock, John Beal, Jr., Will Beal, Jr., John Edmondson, Jr., Charles Beal, Ebenezer Fisher, Thomas Jett, John Orr,

Louis Willis. Jas. Banks. Smith Young, Laur. Washington, W. Roane, Richard Hodge, Jas. Booker, Richard Lee, Richard Buckner, Jas. Pierce. Will Chilton, John Williams, John Blackwell, Wonder S. Kenner, Wm. Bronnaugh, Wm. Pierce, John Benjamin, John Dickson, John Beane, Thomas Chilton, Edw. Ramsdell, Peter Grant, Thompson Mason, Jonathan Beckwith, Jas. Sanford, John Belfield. W. Smith, Robert Wormley Caster, John Aug. Washington, Thomas Bellfield, Edgcomb Legett, Henry Franks, Jas. E. Mason, Thomas Logan, Hancock Eustice, Thomas Douglass.

Virginia Records.



MATHEW BECKWITH, OF CONNECTICUT, EMIGRANT.

Mathew Beckwith came over with Mr. Winthrope, in 1635, and became temporarily a settler at Saybrook Point. [Connecticut Records.]

Mathew Beckwith resided in Hartford in 1645, on lot number ten on Main Street.

Plaintiff in a case, before the particular court in 1642, also plaintiff in a case in 1644.

Mathew Marvin sued Mathew Beckwith for slander, and Beckwith made a public confession of his slandering him, and the fine was remitted by the court, and the plaintiff, Mathew Beckwith made free in 1658.

Stephen Beckwith (?) defendant in a case at Hartford, 1649.

Stephen Beckwith (?) was at Hartford in 1649.

Nathaniel Beckwith, of Haddam, died in 1716, and left Sarah his widow, with an estate worth £269. His children were, Job, Nathaniel, Jerusha, Sarah, Joseph and Patience.

Nathaniel, of Lyme, was appointed by the court guardian of the children of Nathaniel, of Haddam, deceased. It is probable the two Nathaniels, above, were the sons of Mathew and Stephen Beckwith, brothers, who were early settlers in Hartford, neither of whom appear to have died there. Mathew was the owner of part of a vessel. [Hinman's Connecticut Settlers.

General court of election, Hartford, May 20th, 1658. Were made free before the court, Matt Becquet and others. [Connecticut Records.

Stephen Becket* did not take oath, being under age, shipped at Ipswich, England, bound for New England, April 31st, 1634, age eleven years. [Connecticut Records.

Mathew Beckwith came in 1667, but apparently did not remain long in the colony. [Smith's History of Guildford, Conn.

Mathew Beckwith fined ten shillings for unreasonable and immoderate drinking at the Pinnance. [Connecticut Records.

Mathew Beckwith among the purchasers of Branford, December, 1638, by the New Haven colonists. [Public Records of Connecticut.]

Mention made of the arrival of Mathew Beckwith at New London, and others, about March, 1651.

On the division of the land on the east side of Breams Cove, between Mathew Beckwith, Bream and Blatchford, the three "B's."

The land owned by Mathew Beckwith on the adjustment of the boundary line, with Lyme, was found to be mostly within the boundary of that town, though his house was on the portion belonging to New London. [Connecticut Records.

The swamps around New London being infested to an unusual degree by wolves, the general court ordered every town to pay a bounty of fifteen shillings for the

^{*} This is the person that has been considered the brother of Mathew Beckwith, but as I have traced this man back to London, where he came from, I do not believe his name was Beckwith, though generally so conceded by Caulkins and others.

killing of a wolf within its bounds. In 1673, Mathew Beckwith claimed bounty for killing two wolves. [Connecticut Records.]

Elizabeth Rodgers, daughter of Mathew Griswold, was granted a divorce from her husband, John Rogers, the founder of the Rogerine Quakers, October 12th, 1676; they were married October 17th, 1670. Shortly afterward she married Mathew Beckwith (2) she bore children to each husband.

About this time 1703, Rogers made a rash attempt to regain his divorced wife, then united to Mathew Beckwith, a writ was issued against him in January, 1703, on complaint of Beckwith charging him with laying hands on her, declaring she was his wife, and threatening Beckwith, that he would have her in spite of him, all of which Rogers confessed to be true, but defended on the plea that she was really his wife. [Connecticut Records.

In county court, June, 1703, Mathew Beckwith, Sr., appeared in court and swore his Majesty's peace against John Rogers for that he was in fear of his life from him. [Connecticut Records.]

Between 1660 and 1664 Mould and Coit constructed the "Speedwell, Hopewell and Endeavor," which were called "Barques," ranging from twelve to twenty ton, and in value from £50 to £82. They were built respectively for Thomas Bebee, William Keeney and Mathew Beckwith, but like other movable property of that day, often changed owners. "The Endeavor" made several voyages to the West Indies, Robert

Girard and Samuel Chester commanders, and was sold in Barbadoes (April, 1666) for 2,000 pounds of sugar. [Connecticut Records.

The master of a vessel was generally part owner of both cargo and craft, and not unfrequently was his own factor, agent and tradesman. In the small coasters, especially, the master or skipper was entirely independent of orders. He went from place to place, chaffing and bartering, often changing his course and prolonging his stay on his own responsibility. New London, before 1700, was as much noted for her coasting vessels and skippers as of late years for her fine fleet of smacks and smack men. Among the early planters who were of this class, is mentioned Mathew Beckwith and others. [Connecticut Records.

Hartford, May 16th, 1649, Richard Fellows, plaintiff vs. Stephen Beckwith (!) defendant, man action of debt and damages, 30 shillings. [Connecticut Records.]

The parish of Tuling Co., Essex, England, sent over Thomas Beckwith, a poor child in 1645. [Connecticut Records.]

Parish of Tuling sent over to Mr. Weld £5 for Thomas Beckwith, a poor child sent over, for which he paid him when his time was out £6, 5, 0, as his acquittance shows, dated February 4th, 1645. [Connecticut Records.]

Mathew Beckwith and others of the name were often called Becket while in Branford, and were also called Bicket, and the Stephen Beckwith (?) of Norwalk, in 1654, removed, but came back again after



1671, was the Stephen Becket, age eleven years, that came over from Ipswich, on board the Francis, in 1634, in charge of the Rev. Richard Pepper, who after a few years at Roxbury, returned to Conn., probably for that colony, was evidence of his apprentice in 1649. [Caulkins' History of New London.

Mathew Marvin and Mary Beckwith his wife, of Loisburg, whom he married April 20th, 1732, both had the small-pox taken from a transient person, who came to their house, they were quarantined, and their house turned into a hospital. [Public Records of Connecticut.

TAX LISTS OF LYME, CONN., UNDER GOVERNOR ANDRUS.

Mathew Beckwith.			Joseph Beckwith.
1 person,	lbs.	20.	Total lbs. 137, 10, 0.
House and lands,	46	7.	
8 oxen and cows,	46	64.	
2 yearlings,	"	36.	
66 sheep and 2 hogs,	66	35.	
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Public Records of Connecticut.

Hartford, 17th May, 1655. The court considering the sad complaint of Goodey Beckwith of Fairfield, in reference to her husband deserting of her, declare yt by witt, evedence hath benn presented to them of ye manner of her husband's departure, and discontinuance, they judge that if the said Goodey Beckwith, wife of Thomas, shall upon her oath, testify to the magistrates, that are shortly to keep court at Strathford, that her

husband's departure was as others have testified it to be, and yet she hath not heard from him any ways since he deserted her, the said magistrates, may free her from her said husband. [Connecticut Records.

Minutes Before Court of Assistants, 1664-1666.

Uncas vs. Mathew Beckwith, Jr., for burning a wigwam of his. [Caulkins' History of New London.

Patent of New London, sanctioned by the governor and company, October 14th, 1704.

To all persons, to whom these presents shall come. The governor and company of her Majesty's colony in Connecticut in general court assembled, send greeting whereas we the said governor and company, by virtue of letters patent to us, granted by his Royal Majesty Charles the second of England, etc., King, bearing date the 23d day of April, in the fourteenth year of his reign A. D., 1663, have formerly by certain acts and grants passed in general assembly given and granted to

John Winthrope, Esq., Waite Winthrope, Esq., Daniel Weherel, Richard Christopher, John Alleyn, Capt. John Avery, Lieut. John Hough, Robert Douglas, Thomas Crocker, John Rogers, Sr., Daniel Stubbins. Benjaman Shapely, Peter Harris, Lawrence Ordner, Peter Strickland, Samuel Rogers, Sr., O. Manwarring. John Minor, Thomas Starr.

Nehemiah Smith, William Douglas, David Caulkins, John Stubbin. John Burrows, Richard Dart, James Rogers, George Geares, John Edgecomb, Samuel Avery, John Tarrell, Stephen Prentiss, John Fox, John Coit, John Beckwith, John Davie,

Capt. James Morgan, Joseph Latham, Capt. John Prentiss, John Keeney, Samuel Fish, Sam'l Rogers, Sr., John Lewis, Thomas Bolles. Jonathan Prentiss, Robt. Lattimer, John Richards, John Plumbe, Samuel Bebee. George Chappelle, Philip Bill,



and many others, and the deed was signed by Robert Treat, Dep. Gov. [Public Records of Connecticut.

Mathew Beckwith, his death being sudden, and the result of an accident, a jury was summoned, who gave their verdict, "that he came to his death by mistaking his way on a dark night and falling from a cliff of His estate was valued at £393. He left wife Elizabeth, and children, Mathew, John, Joseph, Benjamin, and two daughters, widows, the relicts of Robert Girard and Benjamin Grant, both of whom were mariners, and had probably perished at sea. other children are mentioned in the brief record of the settlement of the estate; but Nathaniel Beckwith of Lyme may upon supposition be included among his sons. Mathew Junior, like his father, and most of the family, was a seaman. The births of his two eldest children, Mathew and John, are registered in Guildford, where he probably married and resided for a The next three, James, Jonah and Prudence, are on record at New London, and three more, Elizabeth, Ruth and Sarah in Lyme, where he fixed his abode in 1677. These were by his first wife. His second wife was Elizabeth, relict of Peter Pratt, by whom he had one daughter, named Griswold, all these children are named in his will except Sarah. He died June 4th, 1727.

Joseph and Nathaniel Beckwith, sons of Mathew Sr., settled in Lyme; John and Benjamin, in New London. John Beckwith, in a deposition presented in court in 1740, stated that he had lived at Niantic



Ferry for seventy years. He is the ancestor of the Waterford Beckwiths. [Caulkins' History of New London, Conn.

Land for the site of a meeting house, and for a burial place adjoining was given to the Society (Chesterfield) by Jonathan Lattimer in 1773, at which time, it is probable that the meeting house was built and opened for service. Jesse Beckwith was one of the principal promoters of the undertaking. [Caulkins' History of New London.

About the year 1748, a Baptist church was organized at the West Farms, in Niantic District of New London, now Waterford; Nathan Howard was ordained elder and John Beckwith deacon. [Caulkins' History of New London.

New London County Court, February 3d, 1702, appeared Joseph Beckwith and Susannah, his wife. [Connecticut Records.]

Hartford, May 2d, 1702. Ordered that Joseph Shelden of Lyme have liberty to appeal from judgment of County Court, whereas himself as plaintiff vs. Joseph Beckwith, Susannah, his wife, and Edward De Wolf as defendants. [Connecticut Records.

Petition to Susannah Way, late wife of Joseph Beckwith, that she may have the wages of her apprentice B. Fox, for his services in the expedition to Wood Creek, May 15th, 1716. [Connecticut Records.]

Council held at New London, January 11th, 1710. Ordered that Mrs. Susannah Beckwith, widow of the late Joseph Beckwith of Lyme, the sum of ten shil-

lings and two pence, for entertainment of soldiers.

[Connecticut Records.

New Haven, Conn., October 12th, 1727. Joseph Beckwith of Lyme, appointed to sell so much real estate of Captain Joseph Way, deceased, to discharge the sum of 53 lbs. 4 shillings and 2 pence. [Connecticut Records.]

May 13th, 1727, and the 13th year of the reign of our Sovereign Lord George of Great Britain, this as sembly do establish and confirm Mr. James Beckwith of Lyme, to be ensign of the 1st Company or Trainband of Lyme, and order that he be commissioned accordingly. [Connecticut Records.

Lyme, July 25th, 1727. This assembly do establish and confirm Mr. Joseph Beckwith of Lyme, to be Captain of the 2d Co. of Lyme. [Connecticut

Records.

John Beckwith of Lyme, appointed and commissioned ensign of the 2d Co., or Trainband of Lyme, October 13th, 1737. [Connecticut Records.]

New London, October 18th, 1740. Thomas Beckwith appointed and commissioned ensign of 2d Co. of

Lyme. [Connecticut Records.

Lyme, New London Co., Conn., 1744. George and Benjamin Beckwith appointed administrators of the estate of their father, Jonah Beckwith of New London Co., Conn. [Connecticut Records.]

Norwalk, Conn., 1667. Stephen Beckwith or some other man should be hired to fetch the cows out of

the pasture. [Connecticut Records.



Stephen Beckwith is in Hall's List of Original Settlers at Norwalk in 1655; he was at Hartford in 1649, and probably removed to Norwalk before 1655, and is found there as late as 1687. [Hinman's Connecticut Settlers.

Hartford, June 17th, 1744. Memorial of George and Benjamin Beckwith of Lyme, administrators of the estate of Jonah Beckwith of Lyme, that all the estate is in lands, and debts due from the estate amounts to lbs. 140, sh. 3, p. 3, and asking to sell same, granted. [Connecticut Records.

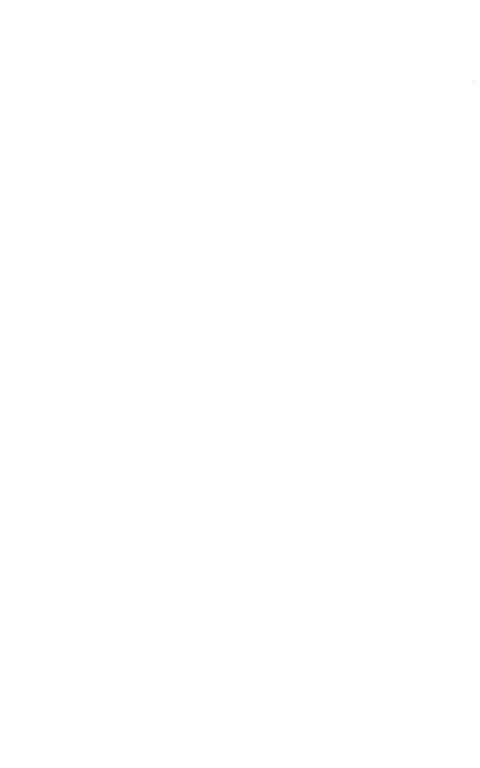
Memorial of Abigail Beckwith of Lyme, administrator estate of Philip Beckwith, late of Lyme, showing that the whole estate amounts to lbs. 52 lawful money, that the debts paid by her, court fees, allowances to widows, with debts due the estate amounts to the sum of lbs. 69, sh. 5, p. 2, and prays for liberty to make sale of lands of said deceased for the payment of said debts, and which was granted. [Connecticut Records.

New Haven, October 21st, 1761. Memorial of Abel Beckwith and Lucy de Wolf, his wife, both of Lyme, Lucy being administrator of the estate of Simon de Wolf. [Connecticut Records.]

Lyme, 1750. This assembly do appoint Nathaniel Beckwith, Lieutenant of the 2d Co. of Lyme. [Connecticut Records.

Lyme, October 10th, 1745. This assembly do appoint Thomas Beckwith of Lyme, ensign 2d Co. of Lyme. [Connecticut Records.

Lyme, May 9th, 1757. Nathaniel Beckwith of



Lyme, appointed captain 2d Co. of Lyme. [Connecticut Records.

Hartford, June, 1756. This assembly do thank Rev. George Beckwith for his sermon delivered at Hartford, June 13th, 1756. [Connecticut Records.

Hartford, July. 1758. This assembly do appoint Rev. George Beckwith of Lyme, chaplain 1st Reg., to be raised in the colony, against the French in Canada. [Connecticut Records.

Hartford, June 3d, 1765. Jesse Beckwith, appointed ensign New Co., 3d Reg. of Lyme. [Connecticut Rec-

ords.

New Haven, Conn., November 3d, 1763. Memorial of Ezekiel Miner, administrator of the estate of the late Samuel Beckwith of Lyme, to sell real estate and show debts due from estate, amount of personal estate of said deceased lbs. 73, sh. 19, p. 1. [Connecticut Records.]

Hartford, 1770. Vinton Beckwith, appointed ensign in Trainband of Lyme. [Connecticut Records.

Hartford, June 8th, 1762. John Mack, administrator of the estate of Abner Beckwith prays to sell real estate to pay lbs. 6, sh. 6, p. 1, debts of deceased.

[Connecticut Records.

Lyme, Conn., December 6th, 1787. Last Friday a guard under the command of Andrew Griswold, stationed at Lyme, discovered a whale boat, in a fresh water pond near Black Point, and suspecting it came from Long Island, they set a guard of five men over the boat, and the night after, four others of the guard,



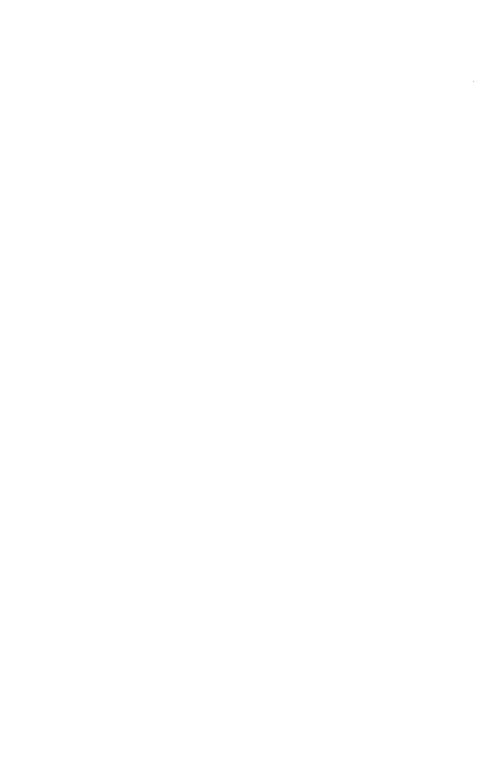
with Ensign Griswold, went toward the house of the noted Elisha Beckwith. One of the party named Noah Lister advanced faster than the rest, and was challenged by Beckwith's wife, who was near the house, this alarmed ten men, who were in the house well armed, and they immediately surged upon and made Lester a prisoner, and carried him into the house, and soon after the other four of the guard, came to the house (not knowing that Lester was a prisoner) and went directly in, where they discovered the ten men in arms, a scuffle ensued between them, and after some time the guard secured six of them, among whom was Elisha Beckwith, the other four made their escape into the woods, but they all except one were taken next day. They came in the whale boat from Long Island, and were in command of Thomas Smith, formerly of Middletown, who had a captain's commission under the British King. Elisha Beckwith went off with the enemy, the 6th of September last, when they made their descent on the place. The above culprits are secure in Norwich Gaol. [Public Records of Connectient.

Hartford, May, 1716. Expedition to Cape Britton, journal of Rev. Adajah Bidwell, chaplain of the fleet. Spoke with Captain Beckwith about 8th, off St. Esprit, who informed us that Captain Jones and Captain Dorchaw and he had met with about 1,200 French and Indians, as they supposed were designed for Lewisburg. [Connecticut Records.

Mathew Griswold arrived at Windsor in 1639; re-



moved to Saybrook between 1650 and 1660. He was a descendant of Sir Mathew Griswold of Malvern Hall, near Lyme Regis, England. Arms, Arg. a fess sable between 2 greyhounds courant sa. Crest, a greyhound passant ppr. [Caulkins' History of New London.



ADDENDA.

Samuel Beckwith, 1795a, born at Palmyra, N. Y., in 1750; married Anna, daughter of Stephen Ransom, June 4th, 1774; she was born at Palmyra in 1756, and died there July 31st, 1846.

2329. Shabael; born October 9th, 1775; died

young.

2330. Stephen; born April 7th, 1777; died June 29th, 1797.

2331. Stephen; died June 5th, 1800; age 21.

2332. Baruch.

2333. Samuel; born July 30th, 1783; married Lois Spencer at E. Haddam; died at Palmyra in 1859.

2334. Nathaniel Haynes.

2335. George.

2336. Naomi; born November 22d, 1787; married John Church and died at Hopewell,
N.Y.; children: Sophia; Eliza, married E.
Bailey of Toledo; Minerva, and John.

2337. Dorothy; born June 15th, 1792; married Wells Anderson of Haddam and removed to Palmyra; they both died in Chicago in 1880; children: George, married Catherine



Lindsey; Edward McKee, married Gruba Setus; and Robt. Henry.

2338. Sophie; born in 1799; died at Palmyra about 1832; she married J. Foster; children: Louisa and Sophia.

2339. Anne; born in 1797; married D. Alexander McIntyre, and died in 1855, leaving two sons and one daughter.

Baruch Beckwith, 2332, born August 24th, 1781, and died at Albion, N. Y., in 1890.

2340. Emily Palmer of Albion, N. Y.

2341. William of Albion, N. Y.

2342. Samuel.

Nathaniel Haynes Beckwith, 2334, born at Palmyra, October 13th, 1785; died there April 25th, 1834; married twice; his first wife was Minerva Nye of Pittsford, who died April 21st, 1821.

2343. Cynthia.

2344. Minerva.

Nathaniel Haynes Beckwith, 2334; his second wife was Sophia Beschard of Lime, N. Y.

2345. James.

George Beckwith, 2335, born at East Haddam, October 16th, 1789; removed to Palmyra, where he died November 29th, 1868; he married Ruth Matson, daughter of Gurdon Clark, August 1st, 1814; she was born February 2d, 1793, and died January 29th, 1882.

2346. Sophie; born June 7, 1818; married twice; her first husband was J. De Lameter, whom she married January 1st, 1838; children:

- Anna S., born May 2d, 1842; died April 3d, 1849; Georgie, born April 12th, 1848; married G. A. Hamlin of Chicago; George, born April 25th, 1855; married Ada Gilbert; Foster, born at Ravenswood, Ill., July 9th, 1865; her second husband was Ellis Worthington; he died November 28th, 1891.
- 2347. Catherine M.; born June 2d, 1826; died April 22d, 1886; married Albert Wells; children: Catherine A., born September 15th, 1845; married Edward McMurdo; George B.; born September 26th, 1848; died May 10th, 1849.
- 2348. Ruth A.; born October 10th, 1828; married W. B. Gilbert; living at Palmyra, N. Y., in 1891.
- 2349. George W.; born October, 1831; died in 1832.



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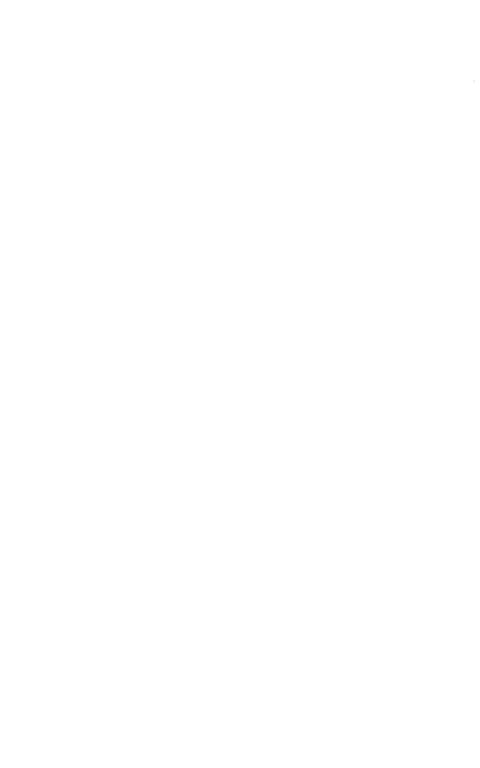


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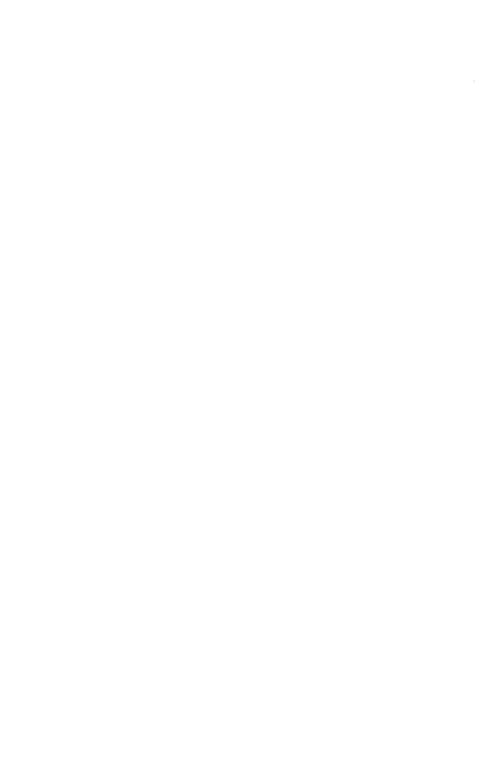
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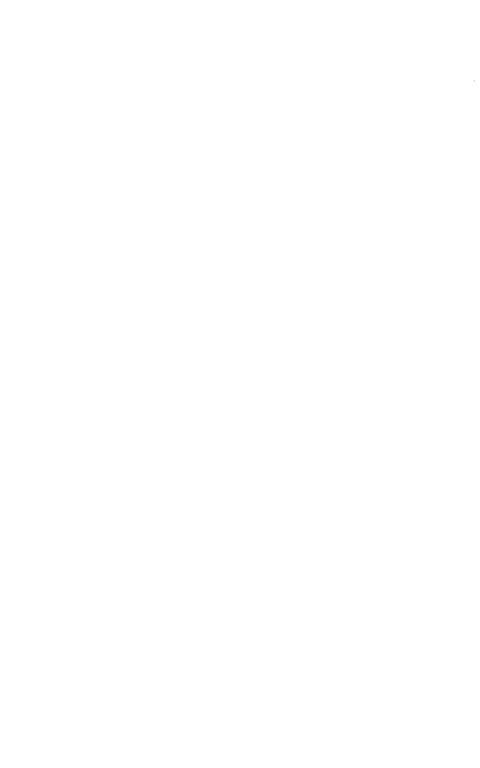
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